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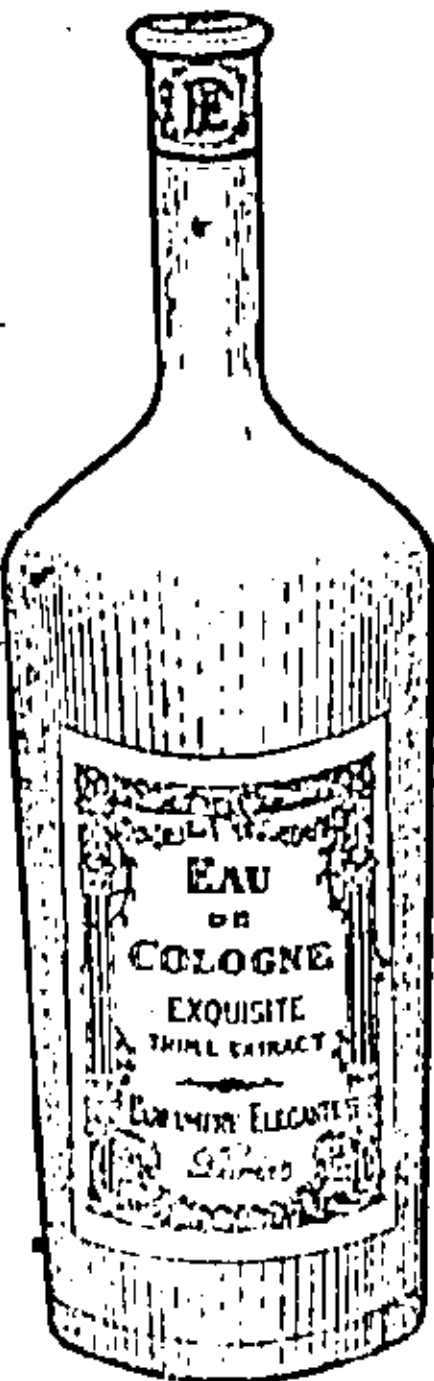
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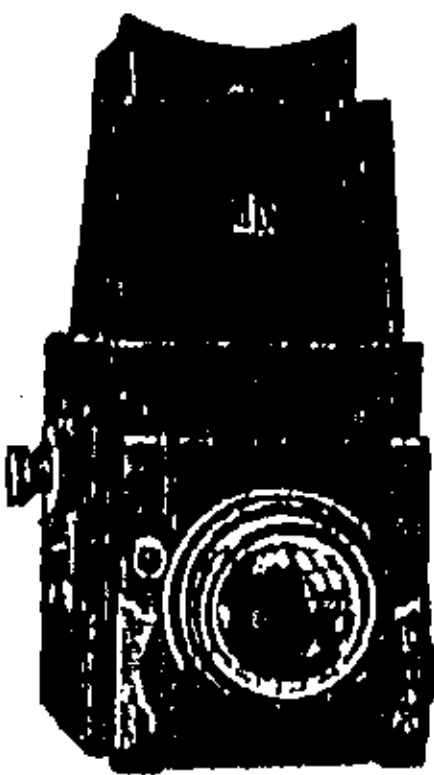
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### TAI-AN RETAKEN?

Sweeping Claims by  
Nanking.

"REBELS" IN RETREAT!

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
The G.H.Q. in Nanking has re-  
leased the following news rela-  
tive to the situation on the Tsin-  
Pu front:—

Tsinpu is still held by the  
Nationalists. The Shansi-ites  
made several attacks during the  
last two days with the object of  
penetrating the defence in the  
vicinity of Chungchow, but were  
effectively obstructed by bombs  
dropped by a fleet of National  
planes.

The Nationalists succeeded on  
Wednesday in breaking through  
the enemy's line along Chufou and  
Tuminkow.  
Heavy fighting between the  
Shansi-ites and the Nationalists  
took place on Wednesday in the  
vicinity of Chungchow. After a  
whole night's struggle, Ma  
Huang-luei re-captured Tsin-  
pu the following morning. The  
Shansi-ites are retreating to-  
wards Tsinan.

Sweeping Statements!

It is claimed that the enemy's  
forces on the Lung-Hai front have  
been reduced by about 70 per  
cent., and the Nationalists have  
been reinforced by approximately  
100,000 fresh troops from Kwang-  
tung and Hunan provinces. An  
early defeat of the rebels on both  
the Lung-Hai and the Tsin-Pu  
fronts is anticipated.

Those Ironside "Remnants!"

Hankow, Yesterday.  
In a Press interview, General  
Ho Ying-ching intimated that  
the Ironsides-Kwangsi "rem-

### EVENTS IN PEKING.

"New Government" to be  
Set Up.

Peking, Yesterday.  
The inaugural ceremony of  
the enlarged Plenary Session  
of the Central Party head-  
quarters of the Kuomintang  
is to be held on Sunday after-  
noon in Hualienjanting, in the  
Forbidden City. Quo Tai-chi,  
Hu Tsung-to, Yeh Chi and  
other prominent members are  
expected to arrive in time to  
participate.

It is expected that following  
the ceremony a manifesto will  
be issued, signed by the par-  
ticipants, and this will be  
followed by the setting up of  
a Government as soon as pos-  
sible.—Reuter.

ants" who were able to return to  
Kwangsi number between 5,000  
and 6,000 men. This is about one  
fourth of their original number.  
The 4th and 8th Route Armies are  
pursuing them from Chuanchow,  
and their early elimination is ex-  
pected.

The original tactics adopted by  
Feng Yu-hsiang in sending Shih  
Yu-shan to attack the National-  
ists' right wing received, accord-  
ing to General Ho, a great set-  
back through the almost complete  
annihilation of the rebels under  
Shih. The Kuomintang have now  
had to fall back on the defensive.

### EUROPEAN MISSING. Member of Government Service.

The Sunday Herald is informed  
by the Police that Mr. Edward  
Lamour, of the Crown Lands  
Department of the P.W.D., has  
been missing since Monday last  
from his office and his residence  
at Repulse Bay Hotel.

When last seen he was wearing  
a white suit, but nothing is known  
of his subsequent movements.  
The following is the official  
description of him: Age, 42; 5 ft.  
11 inches in height; heavy build;  
full face; clean shaven; hair black  
and brushed back.

Mr. Edward Lamour, who was  
born on January 5, 1888, arrived  
in the Colony as Assistant Land  
Surveyor on November 19, 1914.  
He was acting Principal Land  
Surveyor in 1924, and in 1926 he  
was appointed Second Assistant  
Superintendent of Crown Lands.

### AUSTRALIA, 566.

No Punch After "Don"  
Gets Out.

TATE'S FINE BOWLING.

England's Hopes Revived  
Once More.

The Australian innings closed  
for 566 at Leeds yesterday in the  
Third Test Match. The score,  
huge as it is, was not nearly so  
high as seemed likely at the close  
of play on Friday, when the tour-  
ists had made 438 for the loss of  
only three wickets, with Don  
Bradman, the star batsman, still  
undefeated with 309 to his credit.

However, a bit of fine bowling  
by Tate changed the aspect of  
affairs very quickly, and once  
"Don" was disposed of, caught  
behind the wicket for a magni-  
ficent innings of 334, the English  
attack met with quick success,  
and the Australians were all out  
before lunch. The visitors' tail  
put up very little serious oppo-  
sition, and they must be grateful  
to their earlier batsmen for the  
great start they made.

Bradman's Honour.

Bradman's innings, of course,  
broke all previous Test records.  
In five innings in Test matches in  
the present series he has scored  
728 runs for an average of 145.60,  
already beating Victor Trumper's  
Australians' Test record of 574,  
set up in 1903-4. The England v.  
Australia record is held by Wally  
Hammond, who scored 905 runs  
in Tests in the 1928-9 season.  
The full details of the scores,  
and bowling analysis, as called  
by Reuter, are as follows:—

Australia.—1st Innings.

W. M. Woodfull, b Hammond	50
A. Jackson, c Larwood, b Tate	1
D. G. Bradman, c Duckworth, b Tate	334
A. F. Kippax, c Chapman, b Tate	77
S. McCabe, b Larwood	30
V. Y. Richardson, c Larwood, b Tate	1
E. L. A'Beckett, c Chapman, b Geary	29
W. A. Oldfield, c Hobbs, b Tate	2
C. V. Grimmett, c Duckworth, b Tyldesley	24
T. Wall, b Tyldesley	3
P. M. Hornibrook, not out	1
Extras	14
Total	566

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Larwood	33	3	139	1
Tate	39	9	124	5
Geary	35	10	95	1
Tyldesley	33	5	104	2
Hammond	17	3	46	1
Leyland	11	0	44	0

England.—1st Innings.

Hobbs, not out	11
Sutcliffe, not out	6
Total (for 0 wicket)	17

THE PLAY DESCRIBED.

A Reuter message says that huge  
crowds scrambled to get into the  
ground at Leeds in the hope of see-  
ing "Don" Bradman, who incident-  
ally completed his two thousand  
runs for the season from the last  
ball sent down on Friday.

Larwood and Tate open-  
ed to the two not outs, and  
the pair batted steadily.  
However, the partnership was  
not to survive for very long.  
The score had mounted to 491 when  
Duckworth made a fine catch wide  
on the leg side off Tate, to dis-  
miss McCabe, who had played care-  
fully for his 30. Victor Richard-  
son came in, but almost immedi-  
ately, with only three added to the  
score, he put up one to Larwood at  
square leg, off the same bowler.

And at last came the turn of the  
incomparable Bradman. With the  
score at 508 he failed to turn Tate,  
and was snapped behind the wicket.  
He had hit 46 4's in his won-  
derful innings.

"Rot" Sets In.

Oldfield joined A'Beckett, but  
England's successes continued,  
principally due to fine bowling by  
Tate. Hobbs, running in from  
cover, caught the newcom-

(Continued at foot of next Column.)

### U.S. GOLF OPEN.

"Bobby" Well in the  
Running.

HORTON SMITH LEADS.

Interlachen, Yesterday.  
Bobby Jones returned a 73 over  
his second eighteen holes in the  
American Open Golf Champion-  
ship, which put him at the head  
of the field for a while with an  
aggregate of 144. Horton Smith,  
however, who had a 72 in the  
earlier round, return a brilliant 70  
to take the lead with 142.

Cyril Tolley again disappointed  
with 80, making his aggregate  
160. Walter Hagen is still well in  
the running with 147.

Other scores returned are:—

Macdonald Smith	70.75	145
Tommy Armour	70.75	146
T. P. Perkins		
(Britain)	76.74	150
Gene Sarazen	76.78	154
Al Espinosa	76.78	154
George Voigt		155
Joe Kirkwood		158
Harrison Johnston	80.81	161

—Reuter's American Service.

### Things That Matter.

Today's Diary.

Fourth Sunday after Trinity.

Entertainments

Queen's Theatre—"The Girl  
from Havana."

Central Theatre—"Road  
House Nights."

Majestic Theatre—"The  
Reno Divorce," 5.30 and 9.20  
p.m.; "Reminiscence of Pe-  
king" (Chinese picture), 2.30  
and 7.20 p.m.

Star Theatre—"Valencia"  
(matinee only); Nicola, 9.15  
p.m.

World Theatre—"Home  
James."

Home Mails.

Inward from Europe via  
Negapatam (Kidderpore).

General.

Religious Services—Sailors'  
and Soldiers' Home Service-  
men's Bible Class, 7.3 p.m.;  
Social Hour, 8.30 p.m.

Lighting-up Time—7.11 p.m.

Tides—High, 12.40 a.m. and  
10.12 a.m.; Low, 3.53 a.m. and  
5.57 p.m.

The Weather.

The weather forecast to-day  
is as follows:—

The typhoons appears to be  
nearly stationary one to the S.  
of Hainan, and the other to the  
East of Formosa.

Forecast:—W. winds;  
moderate; fine to cloudy.

The Dollar.

Yesterday's closing rate of  
the dollar on demand was  
1/3 1/4.

### SECRET DOCUMENTS.

Has Britain Got America  
"Hamstrung?"

HOOVER'S HONOUR.

Refuses to Allow Himself to be  
Guilty of Betrayal.

Washington, Yesterday.

President Hoover replied to  
the Senate declining to allow  
publication of the so-called  
"secret documents," relating to  
the Naval Pact, on the ground of  
public policy.

He points out that one of his  
duties is to maintain amicable  
relations with other nations. He  
cannot, therefore, allow himself  
to become guilty of a breach of  
trust by a betrayal of confidences,  
and emphasises that the docu-  
ments are open for Senators for a  
confidential perusal.

The refusal was provoked by  
the introduction of a resolution  
sponsored by Senator Norris,  
which may have been made the  
basis of a strenuous attempt to  
get the Treaty rejected, or its  
consideration postponed until the  
Autumn. The resolution asks for  
a reinsurance that there is no  
secret agreement which will in  
any way affect that stipulations of  
the Treaty.

Mr. Hoover's above mentioned  
reply was received in the Senate  
while Senator Hale was arguing  
that the British, by the terms of  
the Treaty, had America "ham-  
strung" and "hogtied" and would  
keep her so as long as armaments  
were the order of the day.—  
Reuter's American Service.

### PLANES FOR CONGO.

Ordered from Britain  
by Belgian Govt.

TO FLY OVER JUNGLE TRACTS.

Rugby, Yesterday.

Six British air-liners of the latest  
type have been ordered by the Bel-  
gian Government for the air lines  
in the Congo. These machines,  
which are known as Westland  
"Wessex," are triple-engine mono-  
planes driven by three Genet Major  
engines, giving a total of 300 h.p.  
Accommodation is provided for five  
passengers, a pilot and navigator,  
and the machine with a full load  
can fly with any one of its three  
engines stopped. It is to be used  
over long tracts of jungle where a  
forced landing would be particularly  
unpleasant.—British Wireless Ser-  
vice.

### RIOTS IN INDIA.

Congress "Militia"  
Changes Its Tactics.

POLICE FORCE WITHDRAWAL

Bombay, Yesterday.

The National Congress "Mili-  
tia" have abandoned the idea of  
demonstrating and withdrew  
after lathi charges by the Police,  
in which 800 were injured, ten  
seriously. A hundred volunteers  
were taken to the Congress hospi-  
tal. The military and Police  
withdrew later from the maidan.  
—Reuter.

### LARCENY OF A DOLLAR.

Wong Choi, appeared before Mr.  
Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magis-  
trate yesterday charged with the  
larceny of one dollar from a tea  
shop in Lanchow Road, and  
secondly with disobeying his de-  
portation order. He pleaded guilty  
to both. It was stated by Sergeant  
Bentley that defendant took the  
money from off a counter, and was  
caught by a fink. In passing sen-  
tence on defendant his Worship  
said: "Eight months' hard labour  
and twelve strokes of the birch on  
the banishment charge. If unfit  
for the birch, one month in addi-  
tion; and on the larceny charge one  
month jail, to run consecutively."

### MRS. P. L. M. BARROS.

Laid to Rest at R. C.  
Cemetery.

MOURNED BY MANY.

In the peaceful surroundings of  
the Roman Catholic Cemetery  
yesterday afternoon, Mrs. P. L. M.  
Barros was laid to rest, the Rev.  
Fr. A. Granelli, pro-rector of the  
Rosary Church, Kowloon, reading  
the burial rites at the graveside.  
Mrs. Barros had been in bad  
health for many years, but  
not seriously until she was con-  
fined to her bed about two  
months ago, and constant medi-  
cal attention then became neces-  
sary. She was of a very kindly  
disposition which gained for her  
many friends.

During her protracted illness  
and at her death a constant  
stream of friends called at her  
house. She passed away at 5.55,  
Nathan Road, Kowloon, on Friday  
afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the age  
of 46.

Mrs. Barros was the wife of  
Mr. J. C. Barros of the  
General Post Office and the  
second daughter of Mrs. M.  
Monteiro who survives her and is  
well over 70.

She leaves besides her  
husband, three sons (one in  
Manila), three daughters, a brother  
(also in Manila), and two  
sisters, both in Hong Kong, to all  
of whom the greatest sympathy is  
extended in their sad bereave-  
ment.

The chief mourners were Mr. J. C.  
Barros (husband) and the Messrs.  
C. and A. Barros (sons), A. V.  
Barros, F. Barros, A. A. Boelcho,  
A. Remedios, H. Barros, E.  
Barros, H. Boelcho, and amongst the  
large gathering present were Messrs.  
C. M. S. Alves, J. A. S.  
Alves, E. Alves, A. Alves,

### FIGHTING IN SHASI.

All Foreigners Evacuate  
The City.

Hankow, Yesterday.  
It is reported that all for-  
eigners have evacuated Shasi,  
where fighting is going on in  
the native city, due, it is be-  
lieved, to the "Reds," who  
are attacking—Reuter.

Washington, Yesterday.  
The State Department has  
decided to advise 355 Ameri-  
cans in Honan, Hupeh,  
Kiangsu and Hunan to re-  
move to less dangerous  
regions.—Reuter's American  
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ing husband, Sorrowing children  
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Francisco and Leonilda, and family,  
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E. J. de Figueiredo and family, G.  
Harrota and family, Annie Cordeiro,  
Flumena de Silva and grand  
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de Jesus Collaco, Mr. and Mrs. A. M.  
de Silva, Mrs. C. B. Pereira, C. A.  
Cunha, F. de Pinna, M. F. de Pinna,  
Mrs. H. M. de Luz Barros, Miss E. A.  
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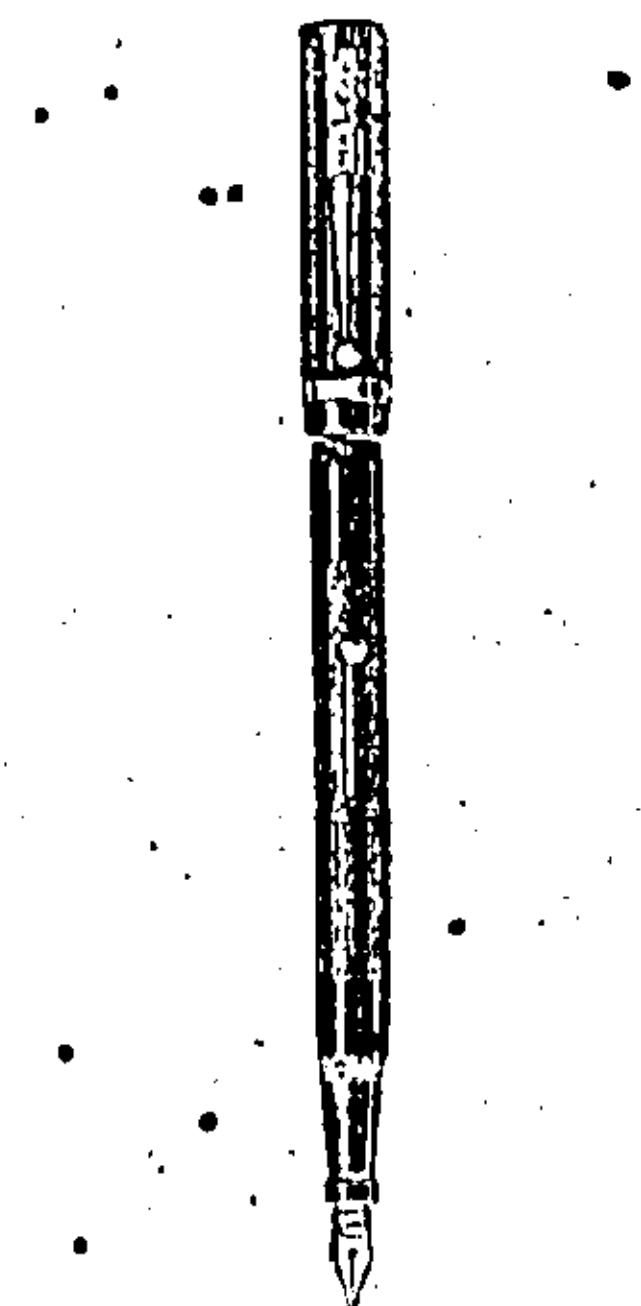
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couver, B.C., June 25) ..... Empress of Russia  
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 16.  
Amoy and Swatow ..... Cremer.  
THURSDAY, JULY 17.  
Japan ..... Montevideo Maru  
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June 19, and Parcels June 12) ..... Rajputana

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For SUNDAY JULY 13.  
Per  
Hothow ..... Chihhua ..... 8.30 a.m.  
Bangkok via Swatow ..... Kiangsu ..... 9 a.m.  
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Letters ..... 6 p.m.  
TUESDAY, JULY 15.  
Per  
Java via Batavia ..... Tjisaroen ..... 10.30 a.m.  
Swatow, Fochow & Wei-Hai-Wei  
Fort Bayard, Hothow, Pakhoi and  
Haiphong ..... Kueichow ..... 10.30 a.m.  
Swatow, Amoy & Fochow ..... Tonkin ..... 12.30 p.m.  
Haiphong ..... Halyang ..... 1 p.m.

\*Superscribed correspondence only

## COMMERCE &amp; FINANCE

## DIVIDEND.

Shanghai Dock and  
Engineering Co.

The following figures have been  
cabled to Messrs. Benjamin and  
Potts by their Shanghai Office:—  
The net profit for the year end-  
ing April 30, 1930, including the  
amount brought forward, amounts  
to \$961,400, as compared with  
\$749,762 for the previous year.

This amount the Directors re-  
commend be dealt with as follows,  
viz:—  
To pay a dividend of T5  
and a bonus of T2 per  
share, absorbing ..... T388,400  
To add to Special Reserve  
Account (and Depre-  
ciation Account) ..... T450,000  
To carry forward to New  
Account ..... T125,000  
Total ..... T961,400

## LOCAL SHARES.

Benjamin and Potts'  
Weekly Report

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts, local  
share and general brokers, in their  
weekly share report dated yester-  
day, state:—

The market continues dull and  
prices generally are lower.  
Banks.—Hong Kong and Shang-  
hai Bank which left off last week  
at \$1,530 have been ruling easier  
and shares have changed hands at  
\$1,515 to \$1,510. The London rate  
is slightly higher at \$106.10/-.

Marine and Fire Insurances.—  
Unions have been dealt in to some  
extent with sales made from \$443 to  
\$447 1/2. "Cantons" are in demand  
at the reduced rate at \$940. Hong  
Kong Fire is also wanted at this  
price. China Fire continues in re-  
quest at \$400. China Underwriters  
have dropped to a selling rate of  
\$2.65.

Shipping.—Hong Kong, Canton  
and Macao Steamboats are offering  
at \$24 1/2, and possibly a lower rate  
would be accepted. Douglas are  
engaged at \$23, and Waterboats at  
\$32.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns.—  
Kowloon Wharves have fallen away  
to \$170. China Providents were  
sold down to \$5 1/4 but close firm  
with buyers at \$5.40. Whampoa  
Docks continue neglected at \$38  
and Shanghai Docks have dropped  
to Tls. 116.

Lands, Hotels and Buildings.—  
Hong Kong Lands after touching  
as low as \$81 have suddenly firmed  
up and close with buyers at \$83.  
Humphreys Estates have weakened  
to a selling rate of \$16 1/2 and  
Realities are also easier at \$9.60.

Public Utilities.—Hong Kong  
Electricity was the medium of a  
large business, with shares selling  
down to \$77. The market then  
turned and with a good demand  
settling in, the price has improved  
to \$79. China Light (Old) have  
further receded with sales reported  
at \$26 1/2 and the new shares are  
offering at \$23. Hong Kong  
Trams are slightly lower and have  
been sold down at \$20. "Star"  
Ferries are still offering at \$84  
after sales at \$83 1/2. Peak Trams  
are in demand and have advanced to  
\$123 1/2, but there are no sellers in  
evidence. Telephones (partly  
paid) were sold up to \$22 1/2 but are  
now obtainable cheaper at \$21 1/2.  
The fully paid shares are quoted at  
\$31 1/2.

Miscellaneous.—Green Island Ce-  
ments have eased off a little—the  
Combined shares being on offer at  
\$19.15. There are buyers of the  
Old shares at \$13 1/2 and the New at  
\$15 1/2. Hong Kong Ropes have  
fluctuated between \$10.30 and \$11,  
and at the close there are buyers  
at the latter rate. Dairy Farms  
were sold at \$24 1/2. Watsons are  
offering at \$12 1/2. Lane, Crawfords  
were looked at the reduced rate  
of \$3. Hong Kong Amusements  
have weakened to \$28 1/2.

Cotton Mills.—Ewo Mills have  
experienced a rather sudden drop  
from Tls. 12 1/2 to Tls. 11. They  
close slightly higher with buyers  
at Tls. 11.25. Shanghai Cottons  
have also declined and are offer-  
ing at Tls. 78.

Rubbers.—Raw Rubber is down  
to 5 1/2 p. lb. and share prices  
have again given way slightly, as  
is shown by the following quota-  
tions received to-day from Shang-  
hai:—

Buyers.  
Anglo-Java ..... Tls. 5.85  
Anglo-Dutch ..... 8.00  
Batu Anans ..... 0.60  
Chemore ..... 1.25  
Consolidated ..... 2.55  
Krawco ..... 1.50  
Rohaba ..... 1.25  
Tannah-Moraha ..... 1.05  
Tobonga ..... 1.55  
Zhangbei ..... 5.80

Exchange:—The T.T. rate on  
London is 1/3 1/4 and on Shang-  
hai 83 1/4.

Forward Settlement Days:—  
July 29, August 26 and Septem-  
ber 30.

## PIECE GOODS.

The State of Manchester  
Trade.

Manchester, June 1.  
Trade in cotton goods with India  
has been at a low ebb this month,  
and, as India is normally Lancas-  
hire's principal market, the total  
sales in Manchester have been ex-  
ceptionally small, although they im-  
proved a little about mid-May.

From a trading point of view the  
disturbance caused by Indian rioters  
was very serious, as determined  
efforts were made to put an end to  
the selling of imported, and es-  
pecially English, cloth. Dealers  
were naturally anxious to be allowed  
to clear out their stocks, but there  
was a good deal of interference  
with them. The Congress  
people appended to those concerned  
to avoid profiteering in Indian-  
woven cloth, but prices were ad-  
vanced nevertheless, as indeed they  
were bound to be sooner or later,  
as it was with that object that the  
tariff had been raised. A few  
orders were placed in Manchester  
for shirtings, jacconets, mulls and  
nainsooks, but they were not large  
ones, and still less was done in  
prints and fancies. Such business  
as was placed was principally for  
Calcutta, Madras, and Cawnpore,  
which were less interested than  
Bombay in the Gandhi campaign.

Trade with China has continued  
small, and there are no signs yet  
of such a rise in the value of silver as  
would give an impetus to it. Egypt  
has only been in the market for  
small lots, principally bleachers and  
narrow shirtings for native dyeing.  
Syria has enquired for bleaching  
and printing styles, but bids from  
there were very low. West Africa  
has sometimes been a hopeful outlet,  
but the business done has not been  
large. South American, Continen-  
tal, and home trade buyers also have  
only operated sparingly. It is noted  
especially that the home demand for  
dress goods early in the month was  
disappointing. South African busi-  
ness, however, has been moderately  
good.

At home, the event of the month  
has been the National Cotton Week,  
from the 5th to the 10th of May  
inclusive. A great effort was made  
to popularise Lancashire fabrics,  
many thousands of drapers being  
induced to fill windows with attrac-  
tive materials for clothing and for  
ordinary household purposes. Her  
Majesty the Queen gave the fashio-  
nable set a valued lead by choosing  
clothes and having them made up for  
her own wear, and large numbers of  
lesser folk put a great amount of  
energy into the movement, as a  
means of stimulating the home  
trade. The weather was sometimes  
too cold to make cotton goods as  
enticing as they will be later on, but  
the manufacturing industry un-  
doubtedly received a fine advertise-  
ment, and the women of the country  
were enabled to get a better idea  
than they had had previously of the  
variety and beauty of modern Lan-  
cashire products. The Drapers'  
Chamber of Trade helped consider-  
ably in making the movement na-  
tional, and Mr. Street, Secretary of  
the Manchester Chamber of Com-  
merce, put all his energy into it as  
Organising Secretary.

The fine spinners have been work-  
ing out a scheme for combining to  
regulate production and prices,  
their section having found it neces-  
sary to do something to strengthen  
its position. At the beginning of  
this month the three great combines,  
which control eight or nine million  
spindles, decided to take prelimi-  
nary action to put a stop, or at all  
events to reduce, price cutting,  
which it was thought could be done,  
as it is internal rather than foreign  
competition which has made profit  
margins unattractive. The spin-  
ning trade as a whole learned with  
pleasure that the Administrative  
Council of the Empire Cotton-Grow-  
ing Corporation, with the approval  
of the Board of Trade, has decided  
to reduce the levy upon cotton pass-  
ing into consumption from 3d. to 1d.  
per bale of 500 lbs., as from the 18th  
of July next. The levy was origi-  
nally 6d. per bale, but it was reduced  
to 3d. in 1928, when the expiring  
Act which had made it compulsory  
was continued. The proceeds go to  
the Empire Cotton-Growing Cor-  
poration, and if it had not been for  
the trade depression the spinners  
would doubtless have continued to  
pay a sixpenny levy.

## A JOB WELL DONE.

Glasgow, June 12.  
Touched by a Royal hand there  
was a job well done yesterday  
pride at once of a great shipping  
company and a great shipbuilding  
firm, and as the workmen cheer-  
fully check chains rattled and the  
sirens of river steamers greeted her  
the Empress of Britain for the  
first time met the  
water, an famous ship, we hope,  
as those giants who once occupied  
the same berth as the Aquitania

## BANKING.

All Existing Records  
Exceeded.

## NATIONAL BANK FIGURES.

The local branch of the National  
City Bank of New York has re-  
ceived a telegram from the Head  
Office in New York stating that the  
balance sheet of the National City  
Bank of New York issued on June  
30, indicates that all existing re-  
cords of the bank since its  
establishment in 1812 have been ex-  
ceeded with the exception of the  
statement of December 31, 1929.

Total resources stand at US\$2,-  
978,337,252 against US\$1,995,838,-  
614 on March 27, 1930, and US\$2,-  
062,400,220 on June 29, 1929.  
Deposits amount to US\$1,560,268,-  
690 against US\$1,471,507,701 on  
March 27, 1930, and US\$1,470,891,-  
893 on June 29, 1929. Capital,  
Surplus and Undivided Profits  
US\$242,973,145 against US\$235,-  
260,403 a year ago. The high re-  
cord of all time reached on Decem-  
ber 31, 1929, showed deposits of  
US\$1,649,554,260 and total re-  
sources US\$2,206,241,170.

The capital of the City Bank  
Farmers Trust Co. Capital  
US\$10,000,000, Surplus and Undi-  
vided Profits US\$1,777,906.03 and  
the National City Company, Capital  
US\$65,000,000, Surplus US\$55,000,-  
000 are beneficially owned by the  
stockholders of the National City  
Bank of New York. The figures  
of these Companies are not includ-  
ed in the above statement of the  
Bank.

The following is a copy of the  
summarised balance sheet of June  
30 as cabled from New York:—

Assets.	
Cash in vault and in Federal Re- serve Bank.....	G\$ 147,094,883.58
Due from Banks and United States Treasury.....	306,902,968.58
Loans, Discounts and Acceptances of Other Banks.....	1,147,057,800.49
United States Gov- ernment Bonds and Certificates.....	168,165,713.90
State and Munici- pal Bonds.....	2,615,769.19
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	6,000,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities.....	78,321,932.33
Ownership of.....	
International Bank- ing Corporation (Including Bank of Haiti, Inc.).....	8,000,000.00
Bank Buildings.....	40,949,788.77
Items in Transit with Branches.....	13,163,868.90
Customers' Liability Account of Ac- ceptance.....	153,006,436.16
Other Assets.....	7,458,071.09
	G\$2,078,337,252.89
Liabilities.	
Capital.....	G\$ 110,000,000.00
Surplus.....	110,000,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	22,973,145.07
Reserves for.....	
Contingencies.....	6,197,768.18
Accrued Interest, Discount and Other Unearned Income.....	4,819,331.41
Taxes, Dividends and Accrued Ex- penses, etc.....	11,641,983.95
Liabilities as Ac- ceptors, Endorse- ment or Maker on Ac- ceptances and Foreign Bills.....	252,336,968.26
Circulation.....	99,355.00
Deposits.....	1,560,268,690.42
	G\$2,078,337,252.89

THE INDUSTRIAL AND  
COMMERCIAL BANK.

The following is contained in the  
current issue of the Government  
Gazette:—

Notice is hereby given that peti-  
tion, for the winding-up of the In-  
dustrial and Commercial Bank, Ltd.,  
by the Supreme Court was on the  
July 4 presented to the said Court  
by the Prince of Wales, and that the  
said petition is directed to be heard  
before the Court at 10.30 a.m., on  
July 31.

and the ill-fated Lusitania.  
To Clyde-side it was no ordinary  
launch though cargo boats and tank-  
ers, dredgers and tugs as perfect  
go down to the water with a great deal  
less ceremony every other day. The  
Empress of Britain floats for all  
the world to see, as the finished pro-  
duct of Clyde brain and Clyde  
workmanship. She will sail as a  
message to the world that the Clyde  
can and will produce the best.

The Prince of Wales paid a richly  
deserved tribute to the courage and  
enterprise of the C.P.R. The Em-  
press is another link in the chain  
which binds Canada to the Clyde.  
The C.P.R. needs the ships and  
Clyde-side surely needs them too.  
The announcement by Mr. Beatty,  
therefore, that the Clyde will share  
largely in the reconstruction plan  
of the C.P.R. is more than welcome.  
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the dark cloud of Clyde unemploy-  
ment.

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## HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE

## HIGHEST AND LOWEST QUOTATIONS

DURING MAY, 1930.  
(Figures from Ellis & Edgar Monthly-booklet)

	Sales	Buyers	Sellers	Nominal
Hong Kong Bank .....	1630-1390	1625-1095	1410-1405	1435-1410
Bank of East Asia .....	.....	110 1/4-109	.....	.....
Canton Insurance .....	900	900-865	c/d	895
Union Insurance .....	900-945	940-915	c/d	900-950
China Underwriters .....	500-450	400-450	484-470	480-475
do, cum call .....	480-471	470	c/d	.....
China Fire Insurance .....	1.00-1.40	2-1 1/4	1.80	1 1/2-1.40
do, cum call .....	3.20-3.10	3.15	3.15	3.16
U.K. Fire Insurance .....	900-900	960-900	c/d	900
Donkey .....	.....	55	x/d	.....
H.K. Steamboats .....	25 1/2	26 1/2-25 1/2	26 1/2-26	26 1/2-25 1/2
Indo-China (Pref.) .....	.....	.....	.....	48
do, (Def.) .....	.....	.....	.....	40
Union Waterbombs .....	33-28 1/2	33-27 1/2	.....	33
H.K. & K. Wharves .....	185-167	181-166	185-181	.....
H.K. & W. Docks .....	60 1/2-56 1/2	60 1/2-57 1/2	58	40 1/2
China Providents .....	6 1/2-5 1/2	6 1/2-5 1/2	6 1/2-5 1/2	.....
H.K. & S. Hotels .....	13 1/2-12 1/2	13 1/2-12 1/2	13 1/2-12 1/2	.....
H.K. Lands .....	87 1/2-73 1/2	87 1/2-73 1/2	88-75 1/2	.....
Humphreys .....	14 1/2-14 1/2	15-14 1/2	14 1/2	c/d
do, (New) .....	17-14 1/2	17-14 1/2	.....	x/d
H.K. Realities .....	11-10-8-70	11 1/2-8-70	11-10-20	11-10-10-20
H.K. Tramways .....	21-20 1/2	21-20	21-20 1/2	.....
Peak Trams (Old) .....	12 1/2-11 1/2	12 1/2-11 1/2	.....	11-65-11 1/2
do, (New) .....	6 1/2-6 1/2	6 1/2-6 1/2	.....	6 1/2
Star Ferries .....	80 1/2-75	80 1/2-75	80-70 1/2	80
H.K. Electric .....	84-73 1/2	83 1/2-73 1/2	80-73 1/2	70 1/2
China Lights .....	28-24 1/2	27 1/2-24 1/2	27 1/2-24 1/2	c/d
do, (\$1 paid) .....	22-10 1/2	22 1/2-10 1/2	20-20-28 1/2	x/d
do, (New) .....	22-22 1/2	24-23	21-20-21	c/d
Telephone .....	16 1/2-12 1/2	16 1/2-12 1/2	13 1/2-13	14-10 1/2
Canton Ice .....	.....	.....	.....	2 1/2
Cements (Combined) .....	17-16-15	17-16-15	17 1/2-10-10	.....
do, (Old) .....	.....	11 1/2-11	.....	.....
do, (New) .....	.....	.....	.....	4 1/2
H.K. Ropes .....	9 1/2-8-20	9 1/2-8-20	9	9 1/2-8-15
Dairy Farm .....	27-27 1/2	20 1/2-23 1/2	27-23 1/2	.....
Watsons .....	12-12	12-12	.....	12 1/2-11
Lane, Crawfords .....	4-3 1/2	3 1/2-3-30	3 1/2-3 1/2	2 1/2-3
Wm. Powells .....	.....	2 1/2	.....	2 1/



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### EXCURSION TO MACAO.

SUNDAY, 13th July.

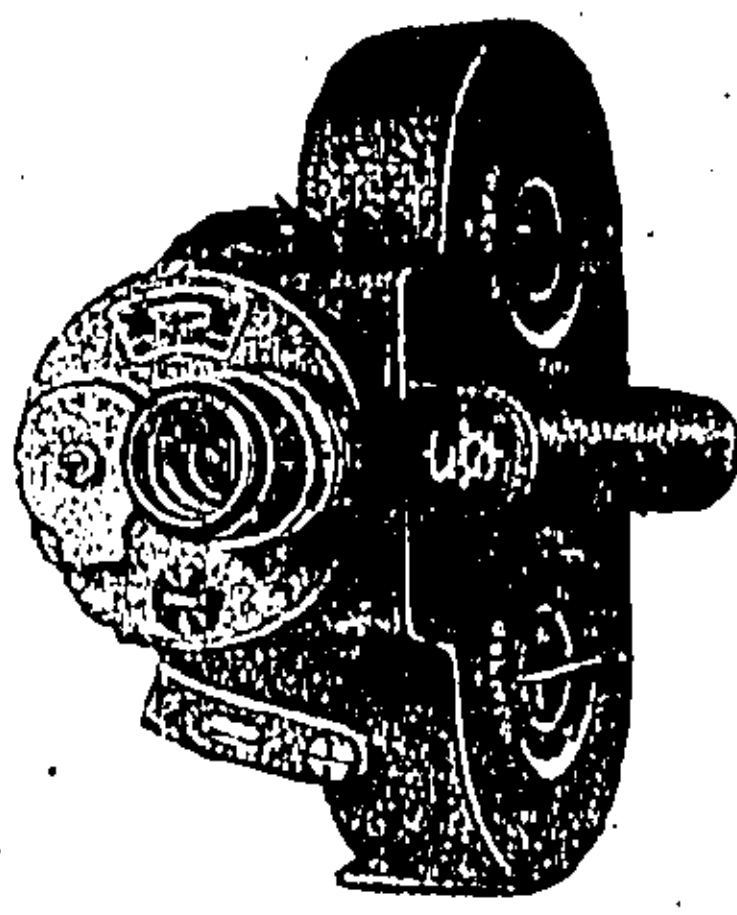
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## HOME SPORT

### CRICKET

#### Uninvited 'Aussies.'

This is the jubilee year of the Test Matches between England and Australia, and giants who strode through cricket history in the last 50 years moved in a procession before the mental eye of Lord Harris on June 12 as he recalled his leadership of the Home Country in the first of the long series of encounters.

Surrounded by books, ceiling high in the library of his beautiful country home at Belmont, near Faversham, Kent, his lean, upright figure and alert mind belied the official record of his birth 79 years ago.

Talking over the old times to a reporter, he lingered with relish over the recollection of the first Test Match, which he organised himself and in which he led the English team to victory. He recalled the first Test Match in 1880.

#### Not Invited.

"The Australians," he said, "came over without being invited, and they were rather ignored. Towards the end of August Mr. C. W. Alcock, secretary of the Surrey Club, came to me at Canterbury where I was playing—I was captain of Kent for 13 years—and begged me to get up a representative match between England and Australia.

"I got together a very good team. It included W. G. Grace, E. M. Grace, G. F. Grace, A. P. Lucas, Barnes, of Nottingham, A. G. Steele, Alfred Lyttleton Shaw, Morley, and myself.

"We played at the Oval, and we should have beaten them in one innings if Shaw, who was at the bowler's end, had taken a throw-in. But he missed it, and we had to go in second time to get 57. It took us five wickets to do it. They said it was my fault for changing the order, but as six of the players out of 11 always went in first for their counties, it was rather difficult to make out the order.

#### Enormous Crowd.

"There was an enormous crowd. The ground was packed, and all the houses round seemed to be covered with people—they sat on the roofs and windowsills all the way round.

"It was in that match that the classic catch was made by G. E. Grace from a very long and high shot by Donner. It is always spoken of as one of the highest and longest hits that have ever been caught.

"A curious thing about my Test Match experience was that on two successive visits by the Australians here, with Spofforth bowling, I twice hit back the ball so hard that he had not time to see it. Each time it struck him and he was disabled. In the first match his hand was hurt so badly he had to bowl underarm, and the second time he could not bowl for several matches.

"I think we shall find the Australians here this year will bowl a great deal better than many people expect. So far they have got their first sides out very easily. I don't think they are good enough to win the rubber. I think England will manage to keep the 'Ashes.' The only trouble both sides will be so anxious that it is doubtful if four days even will be sufficient to finish the matches.

### TENNIS

#### Miss Joan Fry's Romance.

A few hours before she was due to step into the centre court of Wimbledon to play Mrs. Wills Moody in the first match of the Wightman Cup contest between Great Britain and America, came the news of the engagement of Miss Joan Fry to Lieut. Thomas A. Lakeman, of the Royal Tank Corps.

Miss Fry, who is 24 years of age, is one of the best women lawn tennis players in the country. She played for Great Britain in the Wightman Cup in 1925 and 1927. She has beaten Mrs. L. A. Godfree, Miss Duckhurst, the Australian, and Miss Ryan. She reached the final of the Wimbledon singles five years ago, being beaten by Susan Longlen.

Miss Fry toured South Africa with the British ladies' team in 1927. The strong point about Miss Fry's game is her forehand drive.

She is the only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Cranlock Fry, of Stone, Staffs. Lieut. Lakeman is the son of the late Dr. Lakeman and Mrs. Lakeman, of Woking.

### GOLF

#### Amazing Climax.

A most dramatic incident occurred during the Scottish Ladies' Golf Championship fifth round tie at Turnberry on June 12 between Miss Clem Russell Montgomery, of St. Rule, a former champion, and Miss Doris Park, of Longniddry, the defeated finalist of last year.

Miss Park, after being three up with six to play, lost this lead within the next four holes.

However, she won the 17th to become dromy.

When the match came to the last green Miss Montgomery, having missed a longish putt, said to her opponent—"That's all right," thus generously conceding a putt of two and a half feet and the match—a most remarkable action at such a crucial stage.

#### Missed the Putt.

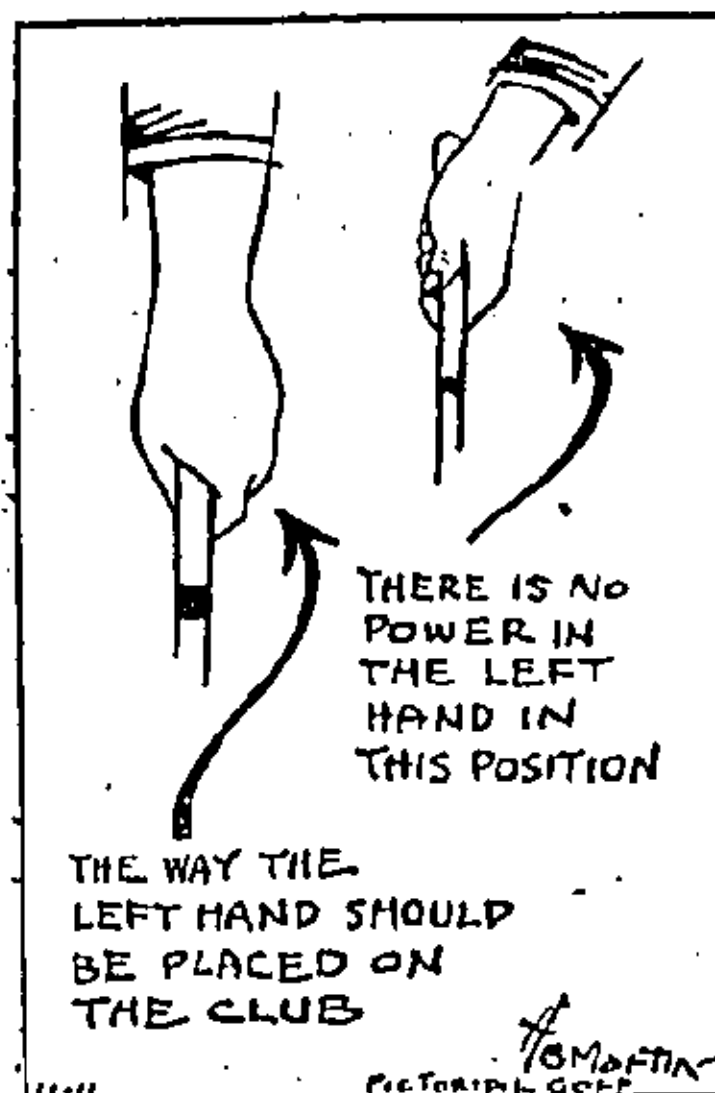
Miss Park looked up in surprise, and, remarking—"I have this for a half," proceeded to try to hole it, but failed.

It was an unfortunate circumstance, because Miss Park's mental poise may have been upset through having had the hole un-

### PICTORIAL GOLF INSTRUCTION

BY  
H. B. MARTIN

LEFT HAND ALSO HAS  
HITTING STRENGTH IF  
USED PROPERLY.



Golfers who believe that the left hand does a major portion of the work should at least place it in the right position on the club. If the back of the hand is turned to the hole there is no power to be utilised as this is not the hitting side of the hand.

The surest and easiest way to make the left hand useful is to place it more over the top of the shaft with the flat side of the wrist facing the ground. This means that the V of the hand formed by the thumb and the first finger will be pointing to the right shoulder instead of the left. Now the left has real hitting strength. One need only try this to ascertain its real value. This is a very old theory and a very good one.

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### FOOTBALL

#### Important Alteration To Rules.

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the Football Association held in London in mid week, but the resolution which was largely responsible for the interest displayed was withdrawn.

This was the proposal in the names of Huddersfield Town and the Arsenal, which, in effect, prohibited the choice of players for international matches on Saturdays taken away from the F.A. the right and public holidays, and would have to call upon players for representative matches except in mid-week.

On this subject the Council proposed that the rule should be altered to read:—

"Any player selected to attend any international or other match arranged by this Association, and (without good and sufficient cause) refusing to comply with the arrangements of the Council for playing the match, or failing to attend such match may be adjudged by the Council to have been guilty of misconduct; and any club or official who may be deemed to have instigated such player to commit a breach of instruction or rule shall be deemed guilty of a similar offence."

#### The Withdrawn Proposal.

This was carried. The proposal of Huddersfield, which was withdrawn, read: "Insert after the word 'Association' in the first sentence of the rule the words 'on any day other than Saturday or public holiday.'"

The meeting agreed to a recommendation of the Council to alter the rule with regard to the temporary engagement of professional players while on trial to read: "Clubs may enter into agreements with and register professional players for a period of four weeks, which may be extended by mutual agreement for a further period of not less than four weeks."

There is no need to refer to suggested changes in the laws, as the meeting adopted the recommendations of the F.A. Council that the English representatives to the International Board, at the meeting to be held at Bournemouth this month, should oppose the resolutions sent in by the other three countries, and those of the International Federation, except that the provisions governing the taking of free kicks should be applied to corner kicks.

The president (Sir Charles Clegg) and other officers were re-elected without opposition.

#### F.A. Cup.

At a Council meeting of the Football Association, the president, Sir Charles Clegg, occupied the chair.

The Council agreed to the following addition to Regulation 15 for the sanction and control of the Leagues and competitions:—

"The rules of such League or competition may provide that the associate members may be represented at the annual and special general meeting in the proportion of one representative for each eleven associate members, such representative to exercise the full powers and rights of members at such meetings."

It was decided that county association cannot suspend a player nor close the ground of another county association's clubs, but that the matter must be dealt with by a joint commission.

The Council decided that Bristol City F. C. should be excused until the third round of the F.A. Cup Competition next season, and that Notts County F.C. have exemption until the first round only.

### BOXING

#### What a Foul Blow Is.

"Good heavens, they have discovered what a foul blow is at last," said Phil Scott, the British heavyweight champion, to a reporter on June 13 at his home at Sunderland, Surrey.

"I am not the least surprised at the result of the fight," he added. "It is rather strange that Schmelling was hurt with a left to the groin and, incidentally, in the same round that I received a punch—the fourth. 'I am ready to meet Schmelling when and where he likes. Over a year ago I went to America to meet the German, but he evaded me."

"Now that he is world's champion he can defend his title against me. I have boxed with Schmelling, and am certain I can beat him."

Scott, who has grown a moustache, looked very fit, and has commenced training for his fight with Young Strickling in London.

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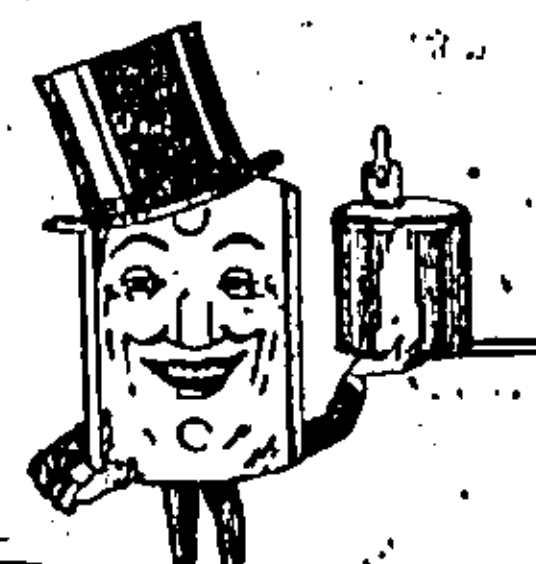


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## LAWN BOWLS.

### "Doubles" For League Leaders.

#### MAKING MATTERS SECURE.

#### Kowloon Dock's Second Win.

The joint-leaders in Division I of the Lawn Bowls League, the Craigengower C.C. and the Civil Service C.C., went further ahead yesterday. They have now placed themselves at such a comfortable distance from the other competitors that it can safely be assumed that the championship issue will lie between these two sides. Taking the points from the Club de Recreio, it is hoped that the Kowloon Dock R.C.'s run of ill luck has at last deserted them.

The Kowloon B.G.C. and the C.S.C.C., who are on the same level at the top of affairs in Division II, re-assorted themselves by trouncing the Club de Recreio and the C.C.C. The Talkoo R.C. had matters much their own way against the Electric R.C.

Apart from the victories of the C.S.C.C., the Kowloon C.C. also secured a "double."

#### League I.

##### POLICE R.C. v. C.C.C.

On their own ground, the Police R.C. lost to the Craigengower C.C. by 17 shots. Scores:—  
Police R.C. Craigengower.  
A. E. Brittain E. Tuck  
J. S. Riddell A. E. Conant  
W. McHardy E. of Arcuili  
G. Hargreaves U. M. Omar  
(Skip) .....13 (Skip) .....29  
W. Glendinning W. T. Brightman  
W. McLeod M. O'Brien  
F. Nolan C. S. Rosselet  
E. G. Post R. Bana  
(Skip) .....21 (Skip) .....21  
W. Dall F. J. Neves  
G. Alexander M. A. R. Sousa  
R. Marks D. Rumjahn  
J. C. West B. W. Bradbury  
(Skip) .....19 (Skip) .....20

##### CIVIL SERVICE v. K.B.G.C.

At Happy Valley, the Civil Service C.C. defeated the Kowloon B.G.C. by 15 shots. Scores:—  
Civil Service Bowling Green  
F. T. Jones N. Nichol  
S. E. Alderman A. R. Whibley  
A. H. Oswick H. M. H. McTavish  
A. O. Brown (Skip) .....18 (Skip) .....16  
T. Armstrong V. H. Chittenden  
J. Orem Sherriff  
J. Hollidge H. Nish  
A. W. Grimmit L. Guy  
(Skip) .....26 (Skip) .....12  
Jas. T. Dobbie D. Muir  
J. E. Longbottom J. S. McIntosh  
G. C. Moss E. W. L. Hogbin  
J. J. P. Gregory A. M. Holland  
(Skip) .....16 (Skip) .....17

##### K.C.C. v. TAIKOO.

On their own ground, the Kowloon C.C. defeated the Talkoo R.C. by seven shots. Scores:—  
Kowloon C.C. Talkoo R.C.  
H. Gittins J. C. Chalmers  
C. J. Tacchi J. C. Polson  
A. Hyde Lay J. Russell  
J. Fraser W. Wetherpoon  
(Skip) .....28 (Skip) .....14  
E. C. Fincher J. B. Chapman  
J. Howe T. Grimes  
W. Hyde N. Drummond  
J. C. Lyl J. Ferris  
(Skip) .....20 (Skip) .....21  
A. C. Burford G. McLeod  
B. Petheram J. Sloan, Sr.  
H. Overy J. Lalng  
A. E. Silstone R. C. Wallace  
(Skip) .....14 (Skip) .....20

##### K.D.R.C. v. RECREIO.

On their own ground, the Kowloon Dock R.C. defeated the Club de Recreio by 14 shots. Scores:—  
Kowloon Dock. Recreio.  
C. Atkinson A. S. Gomes  
A. Calman L. C. R. Souza  
W. Greig C. G. Silva  
F. Cullen R. F. Luz  
(Skip) .....14 (Skip) .....21  
Craig E. A. Alves  
W. Docherty Sonron  
W. Hedley L. Gutierrez  
R. Lapeley C. E. Marques  
(Skip) .....30 (Skip) .....13  
J. V. Ramsay E. Barros  
G. Henderson P. Yvanovich  
J. McKelvie C. Lopes  
F. C. Goodman A. Ribeiro  
(Skip) .....19 (Skip) .....15

#### League II.

##### K.B.G.C. v. YACHT CLUB.

On their own ground, the Kowloon B.G.C. defeated the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club by 14 shots. Scores:—  
Bowling Green Yacht Club  
H. Stoneham E. S. Abraham  
E. Kern A. Murdoch  
F. Rapley E. W. Carpenter  
G. E. Roylance A. I. Sheldie  
(Skip) .....22 (Skip) .....15

J. Chambers E. B. Reed  
G. Thompson A. T. Hamilton  
H. Rose B. E. Maughan  
W. S. Drake A. Chapman  
(Skip) .....19 (Skip) .....17  
D. W. Phillips A. Stevenson  
J. Shepherd L. S. Greenhill  
W. E. Hale P. W. Ramsay  
A. W. E. Davidson A. Macfarlane  
(Skip) .....21 (Skip) .....16

##### C.C.C. v. CIVIL SERVICE.

Entertaining their neighbours, the Craigengower C.C. lost to the Civil Service C.C. by 27 shots. Scores:—  
Craigengower. Civil Service.  
W. Ward L. E. Holland  
E. Mowfung R. R. Wood  
Y. Abbas F. H. Ioldman  
J. Cavanagh F. H. W. Haynes  
(Skip) .....21 (Skip) .....17  
F. Pinner L. R. Whant  
P. A. Dixon W. J. Blackford  
A. L. de Sousa J. Massey  
J. Carr J. R. Archibald  
(Skip) .....16 (Skip) .....26  
D. K. Kharas P. E. Knight  
F. K. Modi H. Westlake  
R. C. Reed R. R. Davies  
W. Gill W. E. Hollands  
(Skip) .....9 (Skip) .....23

##### RECREIO v. K.C.C.

On their own ground, the Club de Recreio lost to the Kowloon C.C. by four shots. Scores:—  
Recreio Kowloon C.C.  
F. V. Ribeiro W. Borrowman  
E. M. Remedios L. Jack  
F. X. Silva V. C. Labrum  
(Skip) .....15 (Skip) .....17  
J. M. Alves F. E. Lawrence  
H. Rosario J. S. Dinnen  
R. Roberts T. W. Carr  
A. E. S. Alves L. J. Blackburn  
(Skip) .....14 (Skip) .....18  
R. A. Basto O. B. Raven  
D. Alves A. J. Kew  
Ozorio Smith  
A. H. Basto J. M. Jack  
(Skip) .....21 (Skip) .....19

##### T.R.C. v. ELECTRIC R.C.

On their own ground, the Talkoo R.C. defeated the Electric R.C. by 29 shots. Scores:—  
Talkoo R.C. Electric R.C.  
T. Stainton E. Thompson  
C. Summers V. G. Kerley  
W. Ball L. de Rome  
R. K. Duncan F. F. Duckworth  
(Skip) .....22 (Skip) .....10  
T. Swan A. Tarbuck  
W. Cunningham G. T. Padgett  
S. Amory H. Hatch  
D. C. Walmsley A. F. Paul  
(Skip) .....26 (Skip) .....20  
J. Sloan, Jr. W. Stoker  
W. Brown T. P. Sanderson  
K. McIntyre S. J. Clarke  
G. H. Stewart W. H. B. Muskett  
(Skip) .....24 (Skip) .....13

#### LEAGUE TABLES.

The positions in the League to date are:—

Division I.	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Craigengower C.C.	10	0	0	1	18
Civil Service C.C.	10	0	0	1	18
Talkoo R.C.	10	5	1	4	11
Kowloon C.C.	10	5	0	5	10
Club de Recreio	10	4	0	6	8
Kowloon D.R.C.	10	3	1	6	7
Police R.C.	10	0	0	10	0

Shots For and Against.	For	Agst.	Up	Dn.
Craigengower C.C.	633	487	145	0
Civil Service C.C.	606	513	93	0
Talkoo R.C.	692	520	72	0
Kowloon D.R.C.	608	586	22	0
Club de Recreio	620	628	0	0
Kowloon B.G.C.	499	531	0	82
Kowloon C.C.	609	646	0	43
Police R.C.	408	717	0	282

Division II.	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Kowloon B.G.C.	10	8	0	2	16
Civil Service C.C.	10	8	0	2	16
Yacht Club	10	5	0	5	10
Kowloon C.C.	10	5	0	5	10
Talkoo R.C.	10	4	0	6	8
Club de Recreio	10	4	0	6	8
Craigengower C.C.	10	3	0	7	6
Electric R.C.	10	2	0	8	4

Shots For and Against.	For	Agst.	Up	Dn.
Kowloon B.G.C.	662	537	125	0
Civil Service C.C.	602	551	111	0
Yacht Club	648	590	48	0
Club de Recreio	600	593	0	3
Kowloon C.C.	683	608	0	23
Talkoo R.C.	607	561	0	44
Craigengower C.C.	570	640	0	70
Electric R.C.	529	673	0	144

## BASEBALL.

### Friday's Results in America.

Results of major league baseball games played to-day were as follows:—

In the National League Cincinnati beat Philadelphia 5-3; Pittsburgh beat St. Louis 6-3. In American League games St. Louis, playing at home, lost to Chicago by 3 runs to 6; Detroit swamped Cleveland by 11 runs to 1.

## TO-DAY'S GOLF.

### Starting Times at Fanling.

The Royal Hong Kong Golf Club notifies the following starting times for to-day:—

9.30 a.m. L. Yates, J. Coulthart.  
9.24 " A. Leach, N. K. Littlejohn.  
9.28 " W. C. Shields, J. S. Dykes.  
9.32 " D. J. Keogh, A. Reid.  
9.36 " V. R. Gordon, J. R. Collins.  
9.40 " A. C. I. Bowker, M. G. Mills.  
9.44 " A. D. Humphreys, A. E. Lisaman.  
9.48 " I. H. Geare, O. Eager.  
9.52 " G. E. Ellams, C. B. Brown.  
9.56 " C. C. Stark, Capt. Weir.

## SWIMMING.

### Handbook of Amateur Association.

The Sunday Herald has received from the Hon. Secretary of the Amateur Swimming Association a copy of the Handbook for 1930, which has many features of great interest to the sport. It gives a list of officials, secretaries and addresses, Association rules, regulations governing the water polo League, rules of water polo, hints for referees, championships (swimming) and fixtures (water polo).

## AVIATION COMPANY.

### May Lose Permit in the Philippines.

Manila, July 2. The Aviation Corporation of the Philippines, pioneer firm of its kind in the islands capitalized at P10,000,000 by prominent American and Filipino businessmen, may lose its exclusive privilege to operate and maintain an aerial service throughout the archipelago if it fails to open an inter-island air service by July, 1930, in accordance with provision of its certificate of public convenience approved by the public service commission a year ago, it was learned today.

According to the decision of the public service commission on July 11, 1929, the company should establish, operate, and maintain an aerial service consisting of six aeroplanes of the Amphibian type and six others of smaller type between Manila and cities of Iloilo, Cebu, Zamboanga, Davao, and Baguio, one year from the date of approval of the permit, or on July 11, 1930. It is expressly stated in the decision that failure of the company to comply with this provision would automatically nullify the permit.

Advices received at the public service commission are to the effect that the company has not been able to purchase the required number of aeroplanes. It is stated, however, that the company placed an order for these planes several months ago.

It was intimated to-day that the incorporators of the aviation firm will file a motion with the public service commission for the extension of the time within which to inaugurate the aerial service throughout the islands. This step is now being studied by attorneys of the firm.

The Aviation Corporation of the Philippines was incorporated in the Philippines in 1927. Aside from the establishment of an aerial service passenger, freight, mail and express, it also aims to build and repair aeroplanes and open schools for the training of aviators. It aims to develop aviation in the islands.—Philippines Herald.

## LIFTMAN BARONET'S ROMANCE.

### The Truth About Sir R. Wolseley.

#### THE HOMECOMING.

Southampton. Lady Wolseley, who recently went to America to marry Sir Reginald Wolseley, the tenth baronet, who was reported to be working as a liftman in Waterloo, Iowa, arrived here to-night in the Cunard liner, Aquitania.

She gave the Daily Express an exclusive interview, saying that she wished to correct reports that had been published concerning her romance.

"Sir Reginald and I are very old friends," she said. "There is an impression that he is a working man. That is not true. The truth is that he was always delicate, and when he was nineteen years of age, having no father, a friend of the family took an interest in him and sent him to Canada to do farming. He was totally unsuited for the work, and soon wandered off on another job, and for thirty-three years he has been out there—a square peg in a round hole. For some years he was doing all kinds of work, but for the last few years he has been settled in one job.

"Don't ask me what the job is. I would rather not say, but he has a comfortable billet, and is remaining there until I have found a house for him to come home to.

"He would have come home years ago, but he was too proud to be a burden to his family. Nor would he think of coming home now to live on his wife.

"Friends of mine are helping me, and I think I shall soon be able to fix up a post for Sir Reginald in his right sphere, which is books. He is a deep thinker and a deep reader.

"It is eight years since he came into the title succeeding the ninth baronet, Sir Capel Wolseley, but he thought it wiser not to use the title in view of his position out there.

"Sir Capel's widow went out to see him and tried to persuade him to come home and take up the title, but he was too proud to do so.

"A few months ago, when Sir Reginald's mother died, I received two letters, one addressed to me and one addressed to him. His mother's request to me was to go and persuade him to come back.

"Now I am going to find a home for us, probably down in Devon, and when I have found it I shall cable him to come home."

#### Hard Luck on Gunmen!

Gunmen of Shanghai had better beware, according to a warning sounded by the local vernacular press on July 6. Also persons of suspicious appearance and who carry metal weapons of any kind had best be on their guard.

For, states the Chinese press, the Shanghai Municipal Police, in view of the number of armed robberies and other crimes, have invented a kind of electric instrument to be used when persons are searched on the streets.

The instrument, it is explained, is of two parts, having the appearance of two boxes wherein positive and negative electric wires, electric bell, etc., are installed. Two electric wires, it is stated, will connect with electric wires on the street.

If the pedestrian is in possession of any metal instrument, such as a pistol or knife, the instrument will ring automatically.

On July 4, it is asserted, an officer of the Criminal Intelligence Department, Central Police, accompanied by detectives, proceeded to the Stone Bridge to conduct an experiment. The boxes were placed at each end of the bridge and the wires were connected with the overhead wires.

Ten minutes passed. Twenty. Nothing exciting happened. Then, along came two men of the labouring class, and the electric box set up a clamour. The men were stopped and searched.

On their person the police found loaded pistols, one to each man. The men were arrested and taken to the police station.

It is stated that the electric metal-detecting boxes are very light and are easily conveyed from one place to another. The Chinese press yesterday voiced the belief that, with an ample supply of these wonderful boxes, the police will soon put an end to armed robberies and the carrying of pistols by law-violators.—Shanghai Times.

## TAMING THE HEAD HUNTERS.

### Alternatives for Tribal Custom.

#### PEACEFUL GOVERNMENT.

The peaceful government of the headhunters of New Guinea has been largely achieved by tactful measures and a knowledge of native customs and beliefs, and some of its methods were explained by Mr. E. W. Pearson Chinnery, who for nine years has been the Australian Government's anthropologist for the mandated territories. He has just arrived in England to spend a year's leave on the study of census systems, in view of the falling population of the Pacific Islands.

"The taming of head-hunters," he said, "is an important aspect of our work in some districts. The purpose of headhunting is to propitiate the ghosts, who are held responsible for all the shortcomings of weather or food supply. Much, therefore, can be done by gaining the confidence of the natives and by improving the conditions of material prosperity."

Complaints of over-effective magic are another ground for official interference. The most common form, he stated, is the destruction of an enemy by sympathetic magic. Such operations are generally performed on an article of food or clothing which has been in personal contact with the intended victim. For instance, the object may be stuffed into the mouth of a snake and slowly roasted over an ever-smoking fire. The victim, when told of the ritual, is so impressed that he gradually falls into a helpless condition and so dies.

"A more practical form of magic is the direction of wild pigs into an enemy's garden. This is said to be achieved by the burial of a pig-like shell and the chanting of the formula 'Come all you hungry bush pigs and eat up the whole of this man's garden.'"

#### Ceremonial Murder.

Other practices which are gradually being eradicated are twin murder and murder as an initiation ceremony. The second of two twins is attributed to the activities of a demon, who has somehow obtained access to the mother. But initiation murder is only a part of the six months' training which is regularly undergone by adolescents at the hands of the old men.

"In this case," he explained, "it was necessary to discover the purpose of the killing, by gaining the confidence of the old men. I was told that it was to show the courage of the initiates. Inquiry revealed that the killing of a wild boar was regarded as an even braver deed, and the latter test was therefore substituted."

Other parts of the ritual include burlesque plays to ridicule tribal offence, and an elaborate system of tattooing "as a protection against ghostly crocodiles. This training," Mr. Chinnery said, "makes the 'bad boy' absolutely unthinkable. He would be completely ostracised and for special occasions there are the masked figures of the secret societies ever at hand to come out and enforce discipline. It is in the power of the societies to put a temporary taboo on the coconut-trees, and by this means to ensure that the natives will have an adequate supply of nuts against the arrival of the tax-collector.—Morning Post.

## TSETSE FLY.

### Sleeping Sickness May Be Conquered.

Experiments carried out by Mr. B. R. H. Harris in the Umfolosi game reserves of Zululand are believed to have brought the extermination of the great Tsetse Fly and with it of Ngana (fly sickness) and sleeping sickness well within the bounds of possibility. Mr. Harris, according to information from Pietermaritzburg, constructed a number of traps, which were placed in various parts of the reserve. In one trap, 2,097 flies were captured in 24 consecutive days, 2,510 being females, and it is the female Mr. Harris is anxious to destroy. He feels that the success of the experiment, warrants a substantial increase in traps in the reserve.

Dr. Warren, Director of the Natal Museum, who is very enthusiastic about the results of the experiments, visualises the day when half a million traps will be scattered throughout the Tsetse Fly areas in Africa, where the British Government is spending large sums in Tsetse research. It is pointed out that the traps do not involve heavy expenditure and require little attention. It is declared the scheme is infinitely more scientific and offers greater prospects of success than attempts to eliminate the fly by slaughtering game.



## LAWN TENNIS.

European Y.M.C.A. Play "Double-Header."

AND GAIN FIRST VICTORY!

Chinese R.C. Win "C" Division Crown.

Full advantage was taken of really "playable" weather yesterday, and considerable headway was made in the League. There still remains a number of postponed matches to be decided, however, and unless much more energy is displayed in re-arranging these fixtures, the season, which has already been unduly prolonged, will probably end in September—if then.

The European Y.M.C.A. set an example to other laggard clubs by staging a double-header, taking on the South China A.A. and the University. They played alternate sets with each opposing team, and incidentally, recorded their first victory of the season.

In the "C" Division, the Chinese R.C., who literally ran away with the Nippon Club, annexed the championship. Being two points ahead of their nearest rivals, the Hong Kong C.C., the result of their one remaining fixture will not affect their position.

## RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

"B" Division.			
Indian R.C.	7	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	2
Craigengower C.C.	3	Hong Kong C.C.	6
European Y.M.C.A.	5	South China A.A.	4
European Y.M.C.A.	4	University	5

"C" Division.			
Nippon Club	1	Chinese R.C.	8

## "B" Division.

## INDIAN R.C. v. M.B.K.

At Snookpoo, the Indian R.C. defeated the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha by seven sets to two. Scores:—

A. H. Ramjahn and S. A. Ismail (I.R.C.)	7-5
beat S. Fukushima and G. Nakamura	6-2
beat T. Enia and K. Matsuo	6-2
beat T. Fujimori and T. Imura	10-8

A. A. Ramjahn and A. H. Madar (I.R.C.)	6-3
beat S. Fukushima and G. Nakamura	6-1
beat T. Enia and K. Matsuo	6-1
beat T. Fujimori and T. Imura	6-2

S. A. Hussain and S. A. R. Dux (I.R.C.)	3-6
lost to S. Fukushima and G. Nakamura	6-1
beat T. Enia and K. Matsuo	6-1
lost to T. Fujimori and T. Imura	1-6

## CRAIGENGOWER v. H.K.C.C.

At Happy Valley, the Craigengower C.C. lost to the Hong Kong C.C. by three sets to six. Scores:—

G. Lia and A. Kitchell (C.C.C.)	3-6
lost to J. D. Humphreys and R. H. Wild	6-4
beat T. C. Monaghan and L. T. Ride	7-5
beat J. A. Summers and W. M. Barton	7-5

J. W. Leonard and Y. Hachiuma (C.C.C.)	1-6
lost to J. D. Humphreys and R. H. Wild	6-3
beat T. C. Monaghan and L. T. Ride	3-6
lost to J. A. Summers and W. M. Barton	3-6

## W. J. Howard and E. Zimmerman (C.C.C.)

lost to J. D. Humphreys and R. H. Wild	4-6
lost to T. C. Monaghan and L. T. Ride	1-6
lost to J. A. Summers and W. M. Barton	3-6

## Y.M.C.A. v. SOUTH CHINA.

On their own ground, the European Y.M.C.A. defeated the South China A.A. by five sets to four. Scores:—

E. R. Price and T. J. Price (Y.M.C.A.)	1-6
lost to K. L. Cheng and Y. W. Lee	7-5
beat O. K. Lam and S. W. Wong	6-1
beat C. Y. Tao and S. K. Ng	6-1

P. W. J. Planner and S. A. Gray (Y.M.C.A.)	6-4
beat K. L. Cheng and Y. W. Lee	6-2
beat O. K. Lam and S. W. Wong	6-2
lost to C. Y. Tao and S. K. Ng	2-6

G. Puncheon and V. M. Hast (Y.M.C.A.)	1-6
lost to K. L. Cheng and Y. W. Lee	1-6
lost to O. K. Lam and S. W. Wong	1-6
beat C. Y. Tao and S. K. Ng	6-2

## DRESSY DADDIES.

## Knobbly Knees Cult.

Fresh from his criticisms of the suits in the Royal Academy paintings, the editor of The Tailor, and Cutter has now turned his attention to the Dress Reform Party.

"The founders of the party," he writes, "are men of so-called advanced opinions and definitely advanced years."

"They seek to bare their lean, shrunk shanks, and expose their knobbly knees. Now that their necks lack comeliness, they hanker to uncover them. Old age may be beautiful, but masquerading as nonage it loses its dignity."

**Heavy Fathers.**  
"Where are the heavy fathers, pompous and sententious, who flourished in the days of 'Dizzy' and Gladstone? What are men in their forties and fifties doing now? Are they content to label themselves or dress by decades? Far from it. Their aim is to play the part of juvenile lend while their wives remain ingenuities. They are doing physical exercises in their bedrooms in the morning and playing tennis at night."

"One of the most potent weapons in the tussle against Anno Domini is undoubtedly dress. Everyone is conscious of the manner in which woman has banished old age in attire fashion, and the general use of cosmetics have been her allies. Yet man, too, in his shy way has been following suit. Not so long ago the middle-aged male went to his tailor in a subdued mood. He asked for dark blue, Oxford grey, or other sombre cloth, and jibbed at anything but the most sedate style."

"Change has come over the scene. The middle-aged man of 1930 has no desire to dress less elegantly or display less shapeliness than his juniors."

## No Between.

"In some countries there is no twilight, but a sudden passage from day to night. It appears that there is no intermediate stage in life. New men move straight from youth to old-age, fending off senility as long as possible."

"It is the young who set the pace with the mode, but their elders are now hot on the trail. They are as eager to have the right number of buttons on the sleeve or the approved shape of coat as the youth of 21. The daintiest and most dashing clothes may be spread before the man of 50 without fear and without reproach."

## SUSPENDED DOCTOR.

## Earns P1,000.00 from Punishment.

Manila, July 3.  
As a result of an oversight on the part of the investigators of the Engineer Island anomalies who recommended that Dr. Mariano San Gabriel, physician of the island, be suspended for six months without pay, the government lost P1,000, the amount authorized by the insular auditor to be paid to the erring physician. The amount corresponds to Dr. San Gabriel's pay for four months, and it was paid on June 25.

In recommending Dr. San Gabriel for suspension without pay, the investigators forgot that section 695 of the Administrative Code specifically provides that an official can only be suspended without pay for 2 months.

When the matter was brought to the attention of the insular auditor, he immediately righted the mistake and authorized the payment of P1,000 corresponding to four months' salary of the punished official.

As it was, the punishment became a blessing to Dr. San Gabriel who, during his suspension, was able to practice extensively and got a lump sum at the end of the suspension period.

Dr. San Gabriel was recommended for suspension following his refusal to testify against or in favour of the officials involved in the Engineer Island irregularities.—Philippines Herald.

## "C" Division.

P. W. L. Pts.	P. W. L. Pts.
Chinese R.C.	10 10 0 10
Hong Kong C.C.	8 7 2 8
Indian R.C.	8 7 2 8
University	10 4 0 4
South China A.A.	9 6 3 9
Kowloon C.C.	10 5 5 10
Nippon Club	9 3 6 9
Philips Club	10 2 8 10
Civil Service C.C.	10 2 8 10
Kowloon I.T.C.	11 2 0 11
German T.C.	10 1 9 10

P. W. L. Pts.	P. W. L. Pts.
Indian R.C.	8 7 2 8
Kowloon C.C.	2 2 0 2
Chinese R.C.	4 2 2 4
United Services R.C.	1 1 0 1
Nippon Club	2 2 0 2
Civil Service C.C.	11 2 0 11
European Y.M.C.A.	11 1 0 11
Ladies' R.C.	8 0 8 8

## PRESIDENT WILSON.

## Prominent Visitors to the Colony.

The Dollar Line s.s. President Wilson arrived yesterday from New York via San Francisco, Honolulu, Kobe and Shanghai. She carries a capacity cargo of manufactured articles and raw materials from the United States, and a large complement of cabin passengers bound for the various Oriental and European ports of the President Wilson Itinerary.

Among the prominent passengers on board are:—

Mrs. B. Hart.—Mrs. Hart and her daughter, Ruth, are returning to their home in Manila after a visit to the United States, where Miss Hart attends school. Mrs. Hart is the wife of Dr. Hart of the U.S. Public Health Service in Manila.

Mr. W. W. Colm.—Mr. Colm with his wife and two children are on route around the world. Mr. Colm is the President of the President of the Virginia Oil and Land Company of Bakersfield, California.

Comm. S. S. Kennedy.—Commander Kennedy with his wife is returning from a visit to the United States to Cavite where he is stationed with the United States Navy.

Dr. Walter Strong.—Dr. Strong Mrs. Strong are stopping at Hong Kong for a time before continuing on around the world. Dr. Strong is a well-known physician and surgeon of Philadelphia, Penn.

Mr. P. M. Smith.—Mr. Smith is connected with the General Motors Acceptance Corporation; formerly stationed in Kobe, Japan. Accompanied by his wife and small son, he is en route to Java where he has been transferred.

Mr. S. L. Kelly.—Mr. Kelly is en route to Singapore where he will be stationed for some time as the factory representative of the Caterpillar Tractor Co.

## PASSENGER LISTS

## ARRIVALS.

Per s.s. President Wilson from Shanghai on July 11:—

Mr. and Mrs. George Cruden, Arthur V. Harvey, Edgar P. Jennings, Stanley L. Kelly, George McCarthy, Miss Evelyn McGrath, Martin C. McGuire, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wiley, R. D. J. Wrigley.

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## DEPARTURES.

Per s.s. Terukuni Maru for Europe on July 12:—

R. St. Bird, Miss C. Krahner, A. E. Dubey, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Saloman Salti, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bigazzi, Mr. and Mrs. Agustia Garcia Munoz, Yeu Park-law, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Konnan Cho, Mrs. Mary V. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Morris, Mrs. Edith Fishback, A. B. Dalton, Miss N. Collins, H. Jackson, S. Ishihara, K. Soharu, N. Okazaki, K. Tanaka, Mrs. N. Tanaka, F. Ueki, Master S. Ueki, Master S. Ueki, Master S. Ueki, D. H. Kharwar, A. S. Balg, His Holiness K. Otani, K. Takel, Miss D. Behan, Miss J. Behan, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Kotak, Miss Rama Kotak, H. Nagao, Mr. and Mrs. N. McVite, N. Watanabe, Mrs. Y. Watanabe, S. Kimura, S. Amano, Y. Honma, Mrs. F. Honma, Miss N. Honma, Master S. Honma, S. Kimura, Mrs. T. Kimura, S. Hirabayashi, K. Tanabe, Mrs. T. Nishimura, Master M. Nishimura, T. Murakami, C. Yukizawa, S. del Mote, Miss A. M. Balaca, Mrs. L. Grekoff, W. L. Husband, J. Oshiba, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunco, Miss L. E. Maguire, Miss M. E. Rallion, Mrs. A. E. Eskelund, Master R. Eskelund, Mrs. Y. Ochiai, S. Sato, S. Nakamura, Mr. Kageyama, T. Ngata, E. Shirai, K. Kamo, M. Mochizuki, S. Nishio, H. Narita, Miss T. Foster, M. Shimidzu, Miss G. Fenock, Miss M. Tanaka, Miss M. A. Creesey, Miss L. J. Crawford, J. Kawahara, T. Sogawa, T. Takel, Dr. V. Kojima, S. Ito, Miss M. Precher, Miss M. Bowry, C. Wunder, I. Noda, M. L. Clifford.

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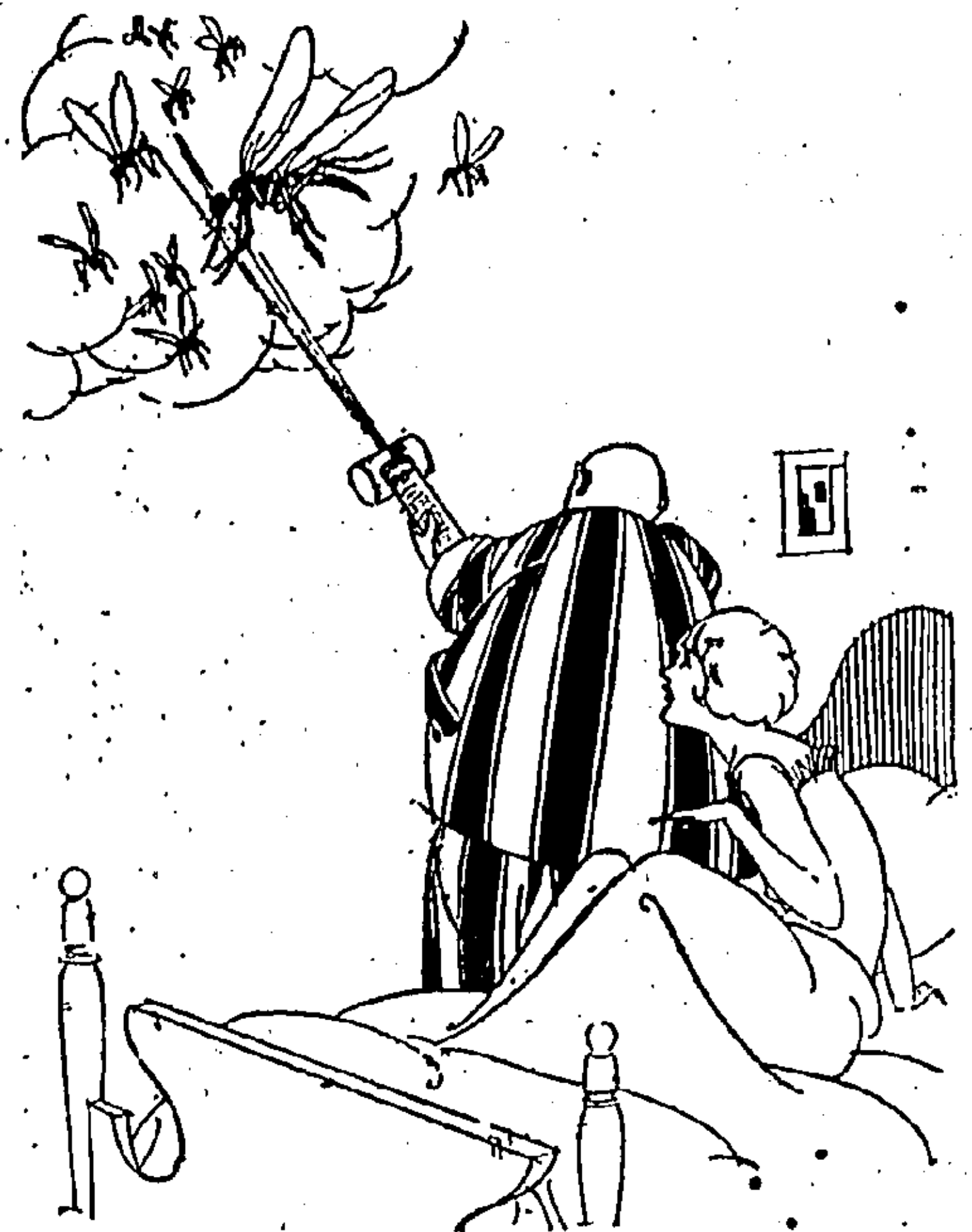
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## DESERTER JAILED.

## Soldier Alleged to Have Attacked Constable.

Manila, July 3.  
H. B. Sanders, 19-year old soldier of the 31st Infantry who beat up a patrolman on Plaza Lawton last February and who later deserted, was found guilty by general court-martial of desertion and sentenced to two years confinement at Fort Mills.

After the expiration of his confinement Private Sanders will be dishonorably discharged from the service, according to an announcement made by Army officials this morning.

Private Sanders deserted sometime last March, going to China. He was caught in Shanghai a month later and brought back to Manila to be court-martialed for alleged desertion.

When Sanders assaulted Patrolman Isidoro Orlovera on February 22 he was accompanied by Private Irvin H. Bough also of Company G, 31st Infantry. Bough was tried for assault after Sanders had deserted, but was acquitted of the charge of the charge of alleged assault on the peace officer.

Sanders is already in Fort Mills serving his confinement sentence, after which he will be dishonorably discharged and sent back to the United States. The patrolman died later of peritonitis.—Philippines Herald.







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# Round The Town

Following the Protection from Precipices. Chief on June 5, when his motor car plunged from Upper into Lower Albert Road, opposite the P.W.D. offices, we commented in these columns on June 8 on the danger to motorists in most of the roads on this hilly island of ours because of the absence of any walls to protect cars, in case of a skid, from plunging down sheer precipices. We suggested the building of strong stone walls, like the one erected in Caine Road, from the St. Paul's College Hostel to Glenale, and are glad to note that the P.W.D. authorities are acting on this suggestion, if only in part. We refer to the erecting of a stone wall on the side of Pokfulam Road, along that open stretch with a sheer drop into the University recreation ground. It is a step in the right direction, and we hope, now that the good work has been started, it will be extended to all danger spots on our roads, both on the island and the mainland.

This week we also have pleasure in throwing a bouquet at the Police Traffic Department, who, with a view to minimising all dangers of accidents, are introducing a new regulation requiring all hand trucks to carry, at night, one red light in the rear and two white lights in front. That this regulation is a wise one no one will deny when it is recalled that within the past two months two fatal accidents occurred, one at Kennedy Town and the other, near the polo ground at Causeway Bay, when motor vehicles ran into hand trucks at night. The localities of these two accidents are not too well lighted, and with the trucks carrying dim oil lamps hung in

inconspicuous positions, under the wheels, car drivers can hardly be blamed if, on a dark night, they fail to notice the trucks until they are almost upon them. In one of the accidents referred to, the one near the polo ground, the difficulty of the driver of the lorry involved was complicated by the fact that it was raining so hard that he was unable to see more than a couple of yards in front of him.

While they are "Push" Bikes, about this work of minimising the danger of traffic accidents, we suggest, that the Traffic Department also require that "push" bikes carry a red reflector on their rear mud guard. It is really a miracle that no fatal accident has yet occurred to some of our trick cyclists who persist in going through their stunts in busy thoroughfares at night, but it is bound to happen one day, so if anything can be done to minimise the danger let it be done before and not after someone has been killed.

Now for a couple of At Reptile Bay. Why can't the authorities that be provide more parking spaces for motor cars at the Reptile Bay bathing beach? The congested condition there at the present swimming season is shameful. Late arrivals cannot find any place to leave their cars near at hand and consequently many take their cars right down to the end of the beach road and park them there. While we do not agree with this practice, because it allows no room for a car wishing to leave the beach to turn round, still, it must be asked "Where else can they go?" How about extending the road another 50 yards or so? Also, that beach road is too narrow. There is room for widening it.

We also have Grouse Against Motorists, week against motor drivers on the mainland, who although good parking places are provided for them at Castle Peak, have taken an inexplicable dislike to the

"park" and persist in "strewing" their cars all over the place on the roadside. That is not playing the game by the authorities who have done their best, and it will serve them right if some of these "kinky" drivers are "hauled up" and fined heavily. Some of them must be shown that they can't have the last word in everything and pick and choose.

Finally, here's a tip A Timely in time for motor owners: The new regulation about carrying licence discs on cars is not being observed by many. The Traffic Department think that they have already given all owners plenty of time to fall into line and are contemplating taking action very soon. So if any fall to take notice after this tip they deserve the trouble that's coming to them!

Mr. A. M. de Souza, 34 Years' of the Treasury Service, will to-day receive the hearty congratulations of his many friends on his completion of 34 years' service with the Government of Hong Kong.

Mr. de Souza, who is a member of a well-known local Portuguese family, received his first appointment in the Government on July 13, 1896, as a clerk in the Public Works Department with which he stayed until 1913, when he was transferred to the Treasury. During his connection with the P.W.D., Mr. de Souza four times acted as Superintendent of Accounts, Correspondence and Stores in addition to his other duties, twice for short periods in 1901 and 1903, and then for several months in 1907 and again in 1910. From March 1, 1901 to May 17, 1904 he also acted as clerk to the Kwangtung Survey Party in addition to his other duties.

Mr. de Souza's connection with the Treasury started on July 1, 1913, as Higher Grade Clerk, and has been there ever since. From April 27 to September 23, 1918, he was acting Cashier of the Treasury in addition to his other duties. Promotion to Class I Clerk came to him on January 1, 1921, and he attained his present rank of Higher Class Clerk on January 1, 1925.

## SUNDAY SALLIES.

Don Bradman still seems full of running.

Why wasn't Wyndham Street called Wind Up Street?

The only silver lining in the Colony is in the Banks' vaults.

"Flying safer than motoring."—Chorus from Kowloon pedestrians: "Thank Heaven."

Kaye Don has been fined for speeding at 48 miles an hour.—Now isn't that the limit?

To reverse the words of a popular song we would like to see some golden threads among the silver.

Chinese coming from Australia can't bring everything with them—they have to leave their fingerprints behind them.

The tipster who predicted "unexpected surprises" in the Lawn Bowls League yesterday perhaps got some disagreeable disappointments.

There is a golfer aged eighty-three, but even he won't remember when the idea of blaming the wind for a poor drive was first introduced.

'Tis said that a chappie who tendered a questionable dollar in a big store the other day had it returned to him within ten minutes in another department.

Overheard in a tea-room—"Ho should make a good walker." "Why?" "He rambles and is long winded."

Some of these poets seemingly don't know when Spring has gone and Summer has come. And they'll continue to add to the Winter of our discontent in the Autumn.

The greatest thirst—the thirst for "news."

Flower Street seems to have degenerated into Dust Street.

Some of these prices for Government work are too stiff to be called tender.

Some of these water polo players must have imagined they were sent "over the top."

Discharged telephone operators are said to be making a big bid for the Matrimonial Stakes.

The man who burgled the Diocesan Girls' School may have intended to steal some of the students' affections.

The censor's smoke-screen seems to enshroud that controversy between two bowling teams in Kowloon over a postponed League match.

A letter-to-the-Editor chap has "been struck by the bad manners prevailing on the Peninsula."—Which strengthens the plea for first aid boxes being placed at every corner.

As the successful tenderer for the Elliot filters for the Aberdeen valley scheme the Lai To Construction Company may be expected to Lai To till they've finished the job and lifted their \$36,777.25.

A member of our staff, who would like to leave this hot climate for Iceland, has been advised to "take some special preparation against whale bites."—He is round at the chemist's just now.

An expert tells us that the proper way to remove dust from books is to "bang them together several times until the dust is expelled."—If this is done inside the house, of course, there will be a big danger of the "banger" going the same way as the dust—expelled.

Some of these chair coolies are chary and cool about taking fares in heavy rain.

Rats hate any kind of trap—and as for clatrap they can smell it a mile away.

Newspaper heading: "Singapore Base Future."—Singaporeans will resent the base suggestion.

When a paper published an article from its Special Staff Writer, its readers exclaimed he was no stranger to them.

The problem of the missing word puzzle has nothing on the "Problem of Five Vagrants" when there were only four.

When the rain comes down to gladden the heart of the prospective exhibitors at the Horticultural Show, it is the weeds, in the long run, that gain the upper hand. Thrive blessed is the man who can confess to perfect contentment. But where, oh where, is he?

Effect of the hot weather and the Test Match on our untamed poet:—

When Chapman billies leave the pitch And Robins in the far wood Sing Woolley songs of Larwood, Then with a hey nonney-no, 'Tis time for us to go . . . Just so.

"After I had been strangled," explained a witness to the Magistrate, "I sent for the police."—This reminds one of the passage in a recent thriller which told of the villain's death thus:—"In full view of his beauteous put a bullet through his heart and with a gesture of scorn plunged headlong to his doom in the depths of the abyss."

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### Tactfulness in Excelsis.

CONGRATULATIONS to His Excellency the Governor on the appointment of the Retrenchment Committee—one of the most delicate tasks that has confronted a Governor within recent decades. It is openly admitted that certain Government Departments are overstaffed and paying too much in salaries—admitted by all the other Departments! It is confessed most candidly that great savings could and should be effected in certain Departments—confessed by all the other Departments but the one implicated!

With an astuteness only to be expected by those who have known Sir William Peel intimately, he has chosen his members of his Retrenchment Committee most wisely and well. More timid Governors, knowing even more of the conditions in the Colony than Sir William would most assuredly have stepped in where angels would have feared to tread lest they offend the susceptibilities of this, that, or the other section of this very parochial community.

It is by no means sufficient to dismiss the Chairman, Michael James Breen, B.A., Royal University, Ireland, by saying that he has held various posts and is at present Postmaster-General. That is superfluous information. Mr. Breen has been in the Government service three and twenty years and has reached the high water mark of the salary attached to his office. Moreover, he is connected with a public utilities department concerning which it matters little or nothing whether it shows a profit or a loss in the course of a year's working. The public convenience must come first. And, having already spent three and twenty years in the Service here, he can afford to be independent of any criticisms made of the report of the Committee of which he has been appointed Chairman. "Brief life is here his portion" so why should he worry? In any event, his long experience in regard to the Colony's economics must single him out as an ideal Chairman of a Retrenchment Committee.

In the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson we have a busy merchant who can hardly be expected to devote an unreasonable amount of time to prying into Government Departments and their daily routine methods. That he will be conscientious goes without saying. But there must be a limit to the number of irons that a busy man must have in the fire, however enthusiastic and public-spirited he may be.

The choice of Mr. J. Scott Harston is a happy one. As the Director of several public companies he may be expected to put his finger on any weak points in the conduct and efficiency of Government Departments, whilst his appointment may incidentally clog the wheels of those who have of recent months gone emolumenaria mad, as they would hardly dare criticise a report signed by one of their own Directors.

Still another happy appointment is that of Mr. William Ngaryse Thomas T'um, LL.B. (London). Although he has not been in the limelight, he is known to be a barrister of unusual acumen, whilst as a student at the London School of Economics he may be expected to bring to a study of Government Departments that quality of expert detachment that may make or mar the whole work of the Retrenchment Committee according to the angle from which its report is viewed.

We cannot, of course, venture to prejudge the work and the report of the Retrenchment Committee, but whilst its personnel has been so magnificently chosen we can but hope that the spirit animating its labours will find an echo in the comments on its ultimate findings and recommendations.

### News in Brief.

One case each of typhoid, small-pox, and diphtheria were reported to the Medical Officer of Health on Saturday. All were Chinese.

Banished from the Colony in 1928 for a term of five years, a Chinese, who returned, was at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday sentenced to eight months' hard labour.

The Government has accepted the tender of Kin Lee & Co. for the erection of a Motor Car Shelter at the Kowloon Hospital for \$1,300.07.

From Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, Ltd., the Sunday Herald has received a copy of D.K., the official monthly organ of the Hong Kong Amateur Radio Transmitting Society. Its great ambition is:—"One hundred per cent. communication with every corner of the earth, and that in effecting this they may assist their brother amateurs throughout the world in mutual co-operation and friendship." Copies can be had from Messrs. Kelly & Walsh at 50 cents each.

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Professor in a Lisbon  
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The death of Professor Francisco Xavier da Silva Teles, physician, colonist, geographer, and educationist, is announced.

Born in Nova Goa (Portuguese India) in 1860, he enlisted in the Navy after taking his medical degrees, rising to the rank of Commander. After a sojourn of four years in Portuguese Africa, he became Professor of Geography in Lisbon University and was subsequently elected Professor of Climatology and Geography in the Tropical Medical School, of which he became Director in 1910.

In 1928 he was Principal of the University of Lisbon, and in the following year he joined the Cabinet of General Ivens Ferraz as Minister of Education. He was the author of many books on medical and geographical subjects.

BACK TO INDO-CHINA

Sequel to Pilgrimage to  
Paris Cemetery.

Thirty-four natives of Indo-China, who were arrested with 116 other persons in connection with a Communist pilgrimage to the Pere Lachaise Cemetery, Paris, on May 25, have been placed in a train for Marseilles, to be sent back to Indo-China.

The pilgrimage was made to the corner of the cemetery in which members of the Paris Commune were shot in 1871. Some seven or eight thousand persons took part in the demonstration.

LEVER BROTHERS.

Exchange of Preferred  
Ordinary.

The directors of Lever Brothers state that, in view of certain alterations in the capital of the company that they have in mind, they desire holders of the 8 per cent. preferred ordinary shares to accept the offer to exchange their shares made some years ago by the late Lord Leverhulme.

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HONG KONG FAIRY STORIES.

One of the busy bees in a Government Department who said he was too tired to yawn has been given an extra assistant.

Bradman's strokes in the Test match were distinctly heard here on the radio.

Full-page photographs of the members of the Salaried Commission and of the Retrenchment Committee are to appear shortly in the junior morning paper.



My Dear Christina,

It's been a trifle over-warm the sit down too write, an' tae be frank, there's been simply nothing doing a' the week. How these newspapers manage to fill their space every day beats me. No' that it worries me for since the price o' everything has gone up Wull he has dropped the morning paper an' I see only the China Mail an' the Sunday Herald.

It's a good tae see Wull beginning tae be a bit saving at last. The way he read every line in a' the papers before would have made ye believe he was the taiwan o' the lot. That may have been a guld experience for now Wull he says he deenna see any sense in paying twice for exactly the same news—an' often the same head lines forbye. Dae ye blame him, Chris?

We have to look twice at a ten cents bit nowadays, as I told the bairns when they wanted tae buy some Chinese rubbish at the door, some cakes frae a cake seller, some ice cream frae another man, an' then gae tae the pictures. There was none o' that extravagance for us in our young days, Chris, eh?

Only the other day I took the two boys ower tae Hong Kong tae see the doctor an' with what Wull—who's real learned at times—calls malice aforethought, I only took enough aller to pay for the bus and Ferry there an' back, except for a few sweets just tae bribe them into no' playing up in public an' shaming me before folk. But tae tak' bairns ower tae Hong Kong requires a taiwan's salary, a taiwan's commissions, a taiwan's allowance, an' so forth. They—the bairns—wanted sweets an' nothing else but sweets before they left the house, but once they were in Hong Kong they wanted tae buy the whole shop. Havin' a bit touch o' indigestion I wasna feeling in the best o' moods an' I had tae try tae keep them quite about siller bein' sae scarce (in my pockets, in spite o' the newspaper reports about a glut o' siller in the market) an' about the prices o' everything bein' put up. But ye might as well have tried tae teach Greek tae a donkey as try tae explain high (in my case low) finance tae a couple o' bairns who only live for the present. It was a very guld thing I did, bring much siller with me, for it was only when 'I let them peep intae my handbag an' see for themselves the unbelieveing rascals—the scarcity o' siller there that they began tae get a glimmer o' light.

Well, Chris, the best laid schemes o' mice an' men (an' auld women like myself) gang aft agley, as Robbie Burns has it, for I was just coaxing the bairns away frae a book shop, where they wanted me tae buy them comics—they're both very literary, takin' as they do after Wull—when up steps Wull himself wi' a bowling chum. A heavy shower or twa had knocked the idea o' chasing the jack out o' their heels an' there they were gallivanting as if they were getting a thousand pounds a day an' the whole Colony belonged tae them.

An' a my lecture on siller tae the bairns had the bottom clean knocked out in five minutes. Wull's frien', as soon as he saw the bairns, marched them intae the shop an' bought them a couple o' comics each, a few pieces o' chalk, an' some crayons. An' tae spoil my lecture still more an' mak' me look small before my ain bairns, Wull, he

drags the crowd o' us into an ice cream place an' orders ice cream, lead coffee, an' a whole plate o' biscuits an' then trotted out a five dollar note in front o' the bairns! An' that after my lecture on the scarcity o' siller an' after my praisin' Wull (behind his back, ye may be sure) for starting tae be saving by forgoeing his morning paper. An' between you an' me, Chris, whaur that five dollar note came frae beats me for it wasna in his pockets when I changed his white suit for him before he left for his work in the morning.

O' course he may have been savin' it off both his morning papers and his cigarettes for I notice he's no' smoking the same expensive kin' as before the prices went up. I didna mind a whiff or twa before (when the bairns are sound asleep in their beds) but Wull he would have tae put in some overtime coaxing me tae try one of the brand o' cigarettes he brings home now.

But he's pretty Scots in his ways sometimes is Wull. The other day I dropped in on him in his office, and there sure enough was a packet of the very cheapest brand ye can buy. In a little while one o' his colleagues (I think that's the word Wull uses) came in an' without as much as by your leave—or rather Wull's leave—helped himself tae Wull's packet. Wull merely smiled an' provided even a match—but as soon as the other fellow had left he pulled out his drawer and brought out a packet of the expensive kind he used tae smoke an' which I could enjoy about once in every three weeks or so. If it wasna that I can't get his showing me up before the bairns with his five dollar note I could appreciate the more his belated study o' economics.

I noticed this new side o' him in the bus the other night when he wasna too proud tae sit in the second class wi' me an' the bairns in spite o' the fact that he had a monthly ticket himself an' could sit in the first class if he liked. An' there was plenty room in the first class tae, for since the fares have gone up folk are thinkin' twice o' spending five or ten cents more for bus fares for the same journey. I think the bus companies will be the first tae rue putting up the prices, for even a taxi comes cheaper in the end if there are three or four o' ye an' ye have some distance tae travel.

In any case, as Wull puts it, its silly paying higher fares just tae get a brand new white suit spoiled by one journey in a bus o' a morning an' givin' ither folk the impression that ye belonged tae the "black squad." They do keep the buses nice an' clean on the Hong Kong side, I must say, an' it's little wonder Wull takes a bus over every chance he can when he's over there, his excuse being that it's a trifle too warm tae walk. This is one side o' his economics that wants looking into!

I havena the time tae tell ye about the Retrenchment Committee that the Governor has appointed but Wull read out the names in the China Mail an' I am very glad they've appointed at least two Scotsmen—Mr. J. J. Paterson and Mr. W. N. Thomas 'Tam'—an' Mr. John Scott Harston has a wee bit Scottish ring about it.

Cheerio—ill the Commission send in their report.

Yours affectionately,

MAGGIE MACLEAN.

Hong Kong, July 13, 1930.

### TAIPO TOPICS.

The Impending  
War.

(From the United Press, Staff Correspondent at the Front.)

The handling of the wounded in the coming battle at Taipo will be a difficult proposition, which the nature of the country will not lessen. The injured men will require to be taken off the shore by small boats and then transferred to hospital ships. These ships will be obliged to lie off some distance clear of the Anopheles Maternity Home. Even then, several cases will occur of men already wounded receiving further injury through being chewed up before reaching the ships.

The drinking-water difficulty will be remedied to a large extent a day or two after the landing by war vessels in the harbour using their distilling plants to cope intermittently with the demand. Lighters, boats with canvas tanks, and, in fact, anything that will hold water will be requisitioned until somebody finds the keys of the locked taps on the water pipes and the big sponner for turning off the water from the Burgomaster's residence.

The amount of sickness among the troops in the Taipo attack will far exceed in proportion that of any other

similar theatre of war. The reasons are not far to seek: lack of really good water, and, worst of all, innumerable flies. This latter pest will be the cause of much sickness, and is a most difficult problem to deal with. The cause will possibly be found in Five (5) cans now hived in the godown of the K. C. R. at Kowloon Station and possibly at the Taipo Market Garbage Heap should the invaders penetrate that distance.

Most of the light cases will be conveyed to the islands of Knob Reef and Bush Reef in the "Lila" while the serious ones will be taken to Hong Kong in the Kau Shui provided the latter has enough paddle wheels to push her along.

A mosquito having built its nest in the ventilator of the Beacon Hill Tunnel was found dead sitting on four eggs. Thick smoke coming up the ventilator from a locomotive which had stopped in the tunnel had suffocated the little dear.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. Li Po and Mr. Tam Cheung to be Forest Officers for the control and superintendence of the forests of the Colony.

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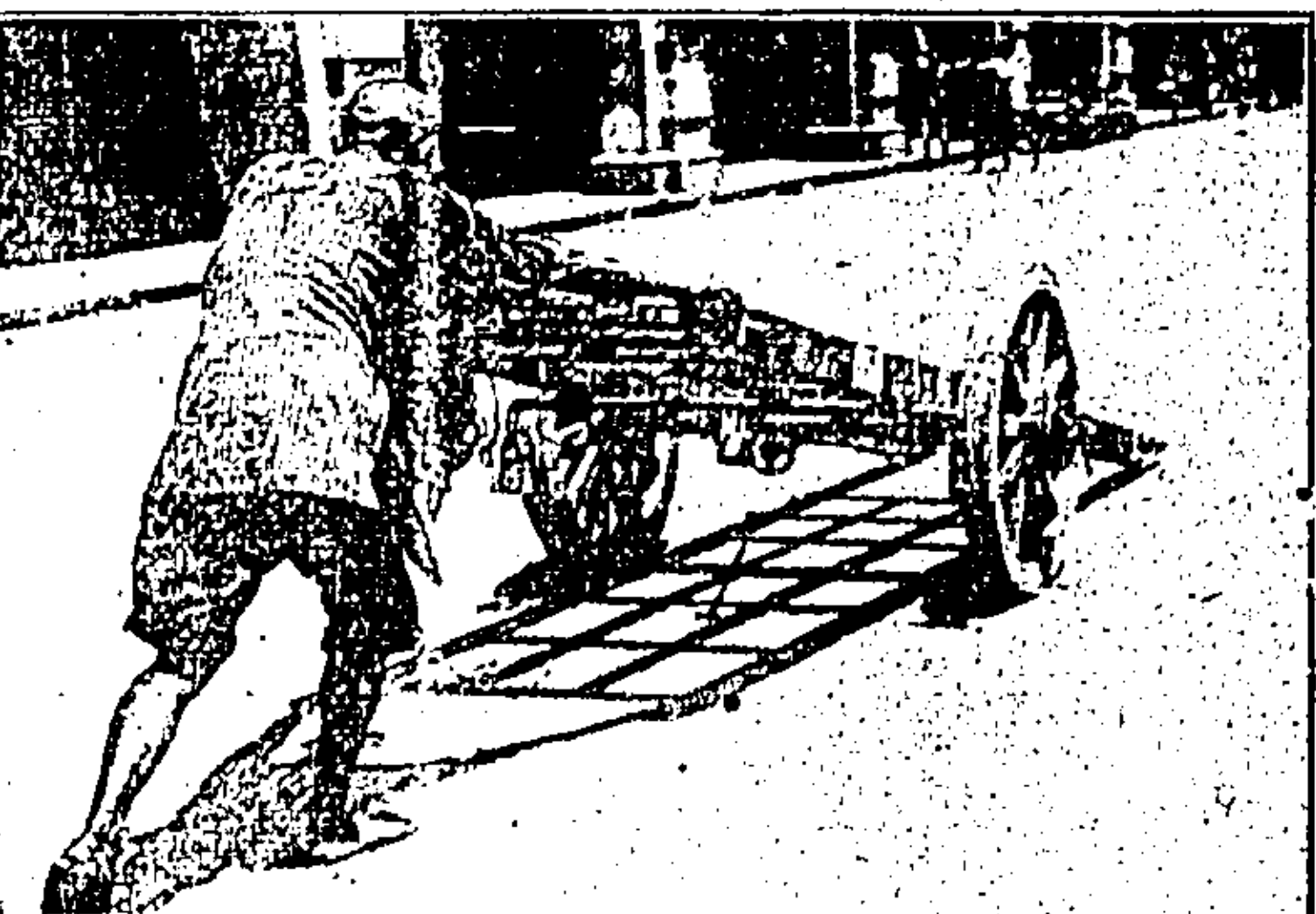
DINING SALOON.—The artistically furnished first-class dining saloon, of the new O.S.K. motor vessel Rio de Janeiro Maru.



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OPEN-AIR TONSURE.—Street barbers do a roaring trade in Hong Kong, where many customers prefer to have their polls shaved in the open than to be at the mercy of the razor indoors.—(Lee Fong).



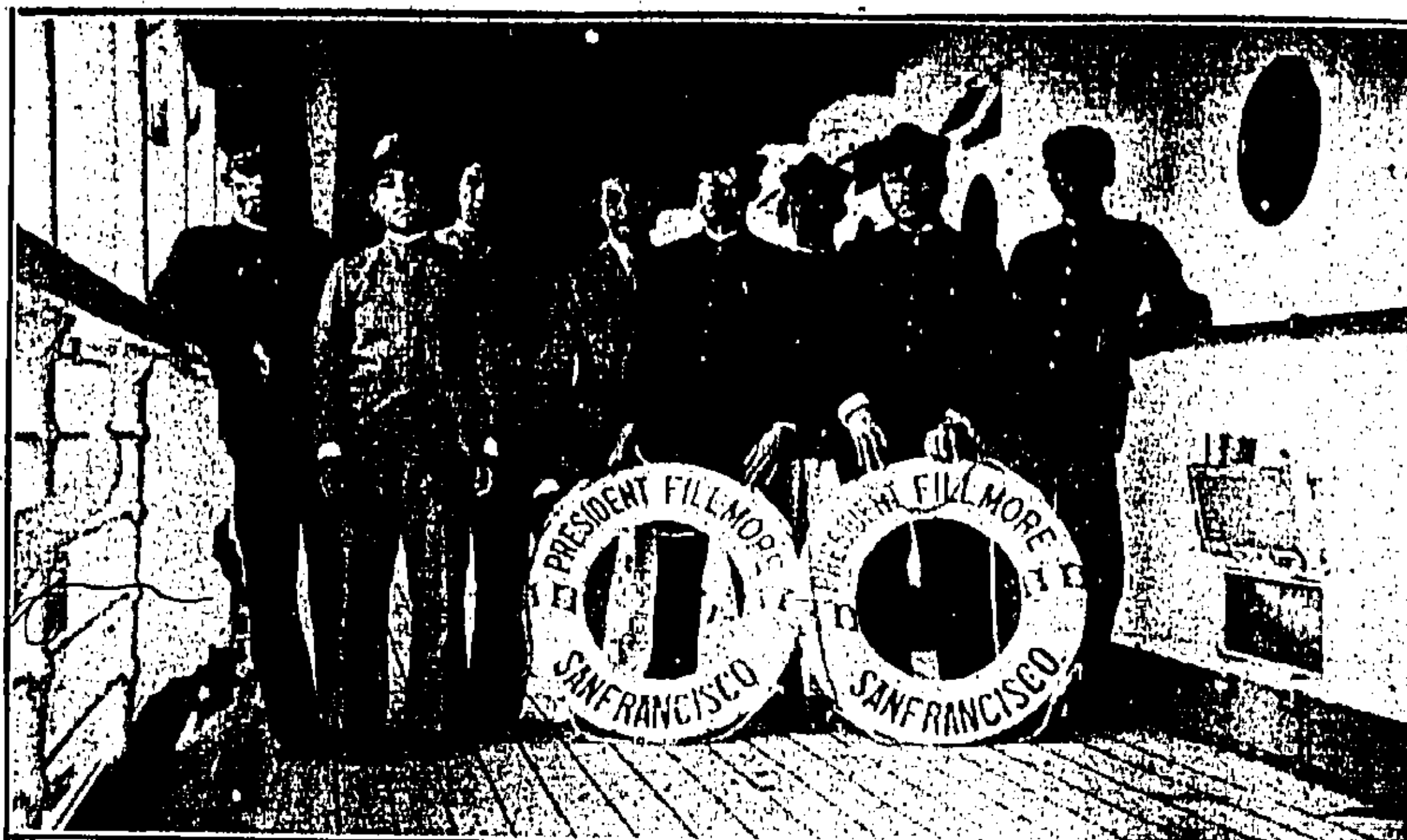
COOLIE PORTER.—A coolie porter pushing his empty barrow along the streets of Hong Kong. Obviously he is going to fetch something, but our photographer could not wait.—(Lee Fong).



PRIMITIVE, BUT SURE.—A sampan being rowed across the harbour with one oar. This primitive system prevails on all the principal waterways of China, and if slow, is as sure and safe as a modern motor launch.—(Lee Fong).



WEST RIVER FLOODS.—A Chinese village on the West River which the inhabitants have been obliged to forsake owing to the disastrous floods, which have covered the houses as far as the roofs and ruined the rice crops.—(Lee Fong).



THE JAPANESE TENNIS TEAM which recently visited Hong Kong, representing Meiji University, of Tokyo and the Party, under the management of Marquis Matsudaira, (fourth from left) travelled to Manila on the Dollar Liner s.s. President Fillmore.



A CLOISTERED VIEW.—A remarkably fine sunset scene of Hong Kong, taken from one of the Norman arches which form a cloister around the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception.—(Lee Fong).



KEEPING COOL.—Little Chinese boys find an appropriate way of keeping cool during the heat wave. This picture was taken in the New Territories.—(Lee Fong).



LOADING CARGO.—Chinese fishermen loading their sampans with cargo near Tolo Harbour, New Territories. A simple scene, yet full of picturesque charm.—(Lee Fong).

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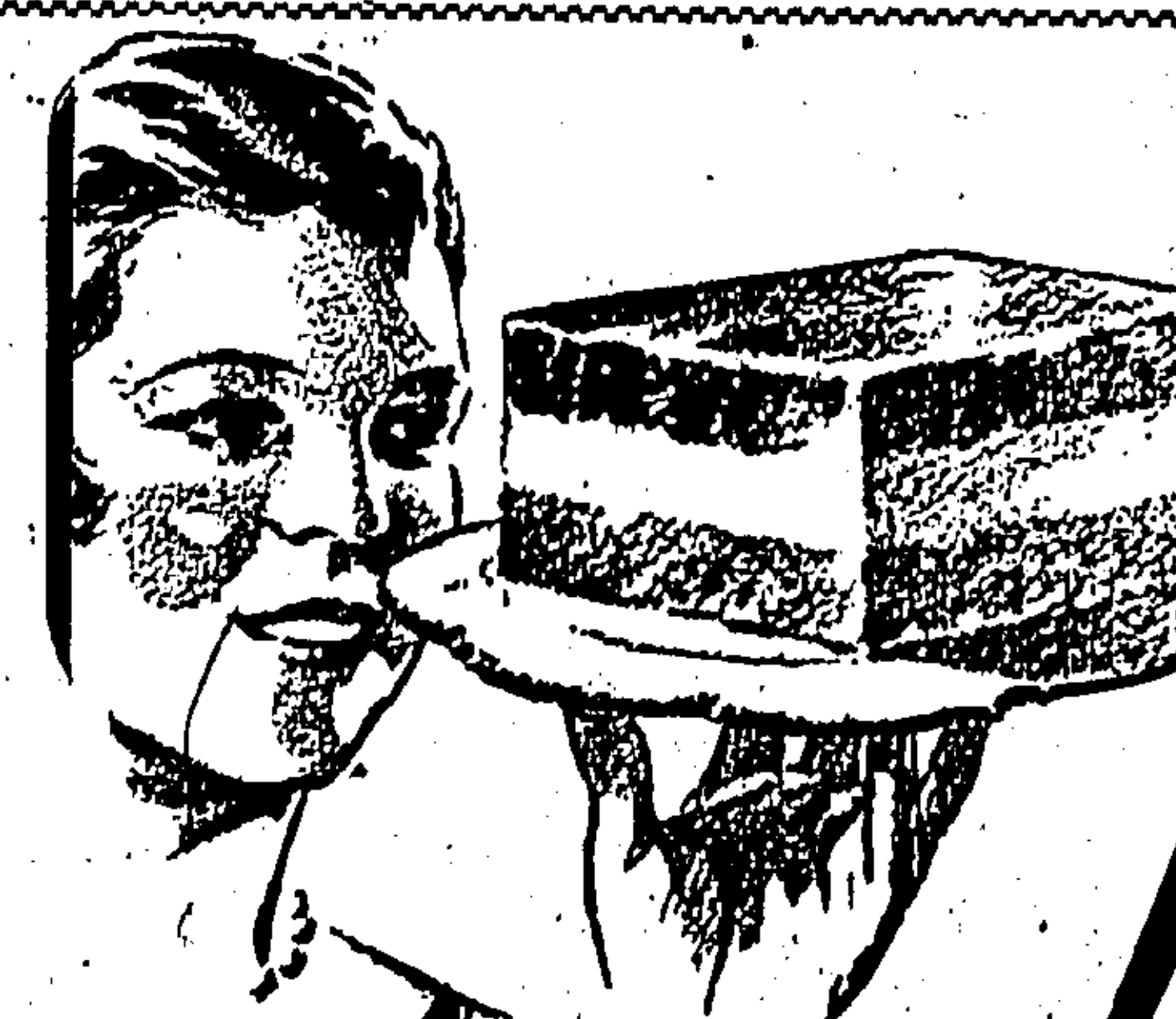


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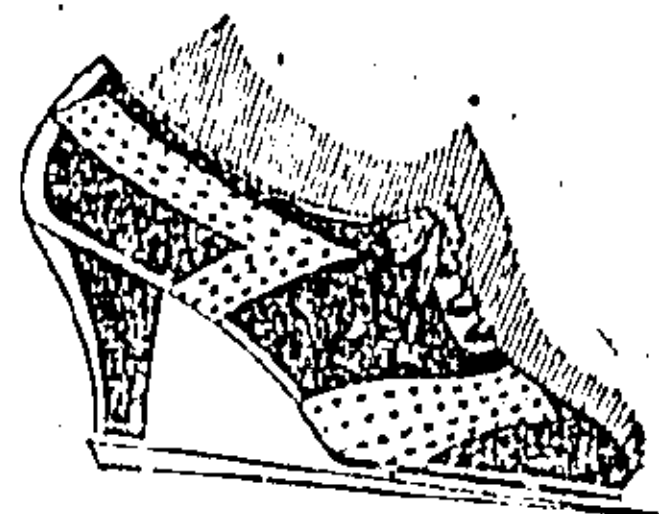
# The Woman's Page

**DEVILLED TOAST.**

Take a teaspoonful of finely chopped mixed pickles, a teaspoonful of curry powder, and two ounces of grated Parmesan cheese. Mix well with a little gravy, adding salt, pepper and mustard to taste. Cover some well-buttered pieces of toast with the mixture, place in the oven on a buttered tin, and serve as soon as the savoury is thoroughly hot.

**LAW AND LAWS FOR THE WOMAN.**

Since woman became an emancipated being laws for her benefit have been much considered. Perhaps the most epoch making for feminism was the Married Woman's Property Act. Prior to this revision a married woman had no power over her own property and except in cases where special provision had been made her husband was literally her Lord and Master. Nevertheless a married woman's property can still be protected so that she can snap her fingers at her creditors, the result of this archaic practice being certainly detrimental to woman's emancipation.



A smart walking shoe of calf with shankskin in sets and comfortable leather heel of medium height.

tion; for in as much as the assumption of this law is that woman is still unable to manage her own affairs, so will she continue until necessity changes her. The existing rule that a woman's property can be left to her in trust, allowing her to spend the income alone, has this result, she cannot, unless a trader, be made bankrupt; and her husband is still liable for her torts, libels, or assaults, whereas there is no such obligation for her should her husband err in like manner. Her husband is liable to maintain her, but not she him. Furthermore a separation order for cruelty or desertion can be obtained against a husband, he still having to maintain her and their children. In the divorce court a husband can be compelled to pay

**FOR THE TROUSSEAU.**

Many of the trousseaus of late can boast of net trimmings. They form an extraordinarily effective embellishment in the guise of edgings and insertions to the popular soft crepe de Chine and washing satins. A deep cream plain net is plentifully used as a border, with pilot edge to tiny frills of satin trimming a white princess slip.

Good, too, are underdresses of pink crepe de Chine, softened by layers of coffee net, with insertions of the same soft material in the flat ring variety. The ideal slip for wearing with the lingerie frock is palest pink chiffon under a layer of this plain and patterned net or white, or in the same shade.

alimony in a case against him, but a wife has no such threat held over her. The divorce laws have been made less stringent of late years, a divorce being obtainable by either side for the offence of adultery instead of cruelty or desertion being also essential, but there is no doubt that these laws call for much further freedom before woman will be equal with men, although unhappy marriage can no longer be looked upon as a state of life to be borne uncomplainingly because of the stigma on divorce for a woman. Another curious legal anomaly is that for income tax and surtax purposes the law has it that the income of any married woman living with her husband shall be deemed the income of the husband and shall be charged in the name of the husband. For instance a husband with an income of £200 per annum who has a wife with an income of £5,000 per annum may find himself faced with a demand for £1,250 income and surtax on his wife's income, and also an obligation to pay surtax on his own income of £200 per annum. This is obviously a law for the woman!

**Fashions Schedule for Summer.**

The above interesting collection depicts a smart array of afternoon dresses suitable for formal occasions. Dress-making details feature the cape, short sleeve and low waist line. Charming effects can be obtained in flat crepe in black or colours, and in printed silks of pastel shades.

**FRILLS AND FLOUNCES.**

Frills and flounces are charming in either the plain or "patterned" cottons—but for mornings is a new tub frock made with a tunic effect of plain and fancy cotton that is very successful for the darker, neat morning dress.

A small floral "daisy" design in beige and yellow on a chocolate ground is cut with a tunic to the knee and placed over a closely pleated (fairly short) skirt of fine dark brown linen. The tunic finishes well above the knee and is terminated with a hem-stitched border of the linen, which appears again at the cuffs and decolletage.

This is a large cape collar of the gay cotton fabric tying with ends of brown linen and bordered with the same, and with it is worn a shabby coarse speckled brown and yellow straw hat, plainly bound with ribbon. These generally slim trim effects are certain to influence many modes back to practical, simple styles—but in contrast are amusing "Dolly Vardon" effects in multi-coloured cotton rose designs, almost like cretonnes in their gay riot of colour and boldness of pattern.

There is one marvellous print in a deep crimson cabbage rose pattern with vivid green leaves on a pale green ground. This is one of the

**SANDWICHES—SAVOURY AND SWEET.**

No article of diet possesses greater possibilities than the humble sandwich. It may be of the station-buffet order or, on the other hand, it may please the palate of the gourmet. If you are tired of the ordinary type of sandwich, try one of the following for your tea or after-theatre supper party:

1. Chop up a few peeled walnuts, mix with a little cream-cheese, and use as filling between thin slices of brown bread and butter.

2. Spread slices of brown bread with a little meat extract and put between them layers of chopped lettuce with a suspicion of finely shredded onion. Sprinkle with pepper, but no salt.

3. Mash a banana with a little cream and add raspberry jam. This is an excellent mixture for tea sandwiches to replace a sweet cake.

4. For a supper sandwich try a "three-decker," composed of three slices of bread, toasted on one side and buttered on the other. Between the first two place a sprinkling of chopped hard-boiled egg, and between the other two put either thin slices of cold chicken or a little meat-paste. This can be varied by fish-paste, made at home from a breakfast-kipper, boned and mashed with dripping or butter.

**A LACE SEASON.**

Admitting that the net revivals are delightfully fresh and young looking, we must not forget that this is also a lace season. In fact, not for years past has so much lace been employed in our lingerie and on our frocks. A very new shape in knickers, cut wide (but tight at the knee), consists of a top of pink crepe de Chine, but most of the voluminous legs are entirely composed of coffee lace. Another model with a corselet top is in black crepe de Chine and thick cream lace—extremely effective when worn under a thin black and white frock.

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Mix two pounds of sugar, two ounces of cream of tartar, three ounces of ginger root, and one sliced lemon with two gallons of

**HIGHLAND TWEEDS.**

Already in the high season, there are those who are thinking not of laces and chiffons, but of tweeds for the Scottish season in August and September.

Quite apart from the sterling quality of these tweed dress, coat, and skirt lengths, there is a romance about their making.

The wool, from the Scottish Cheviot sheep, is carded, spun on the old spinning wheels, and woven on handlooms in the cottages of the crofters of the Hebrides and Outer Isles. The delicious, pungent tang of peat smoke still clings to these tweeds after they have been dyed and made up.

Only vegetable dyes are used, which the crofters' wives select and prepare from recipes hundreds of years old.

Lady Dunmore has persuaded the workers to get more brilliant colours into their work and to make at least three weights of every tweed pattern, one for skirts and the popular tweed dress, one for the coats to go over them, and one for men's suits and coats, which are still preferred heavy.

boiling water, and leave until lukewarm. Pour into a stone jar, add a large slice of stale bread and two cakes of compressed yeast, and leave again for 12 to 16 hours in a warm place. Strain and bottle, using bottles with patent stoppers, if possible, and only filling them to two-thirds of their capacity. If corks are used, soak them first in warm water and tie them tightly.

**Another Recipe.**

Boil three ounces of bruised Jamaica ginger in six quarts of water. Strain, and add one ounce of cream of tartar and one pound of sugar. Put the pan on the stove and stir the contents until the sugar is dissolved; then pour into an earthen jar and add two drams of tartaric acid and the grated rind of a lemon. Let the liquid cool to about 80 degrees F., then add one ounce of fresh yeast. Stir, strain, and bottle at once. In two or three days, the drink will be ready to serve, if kept in a warm place.

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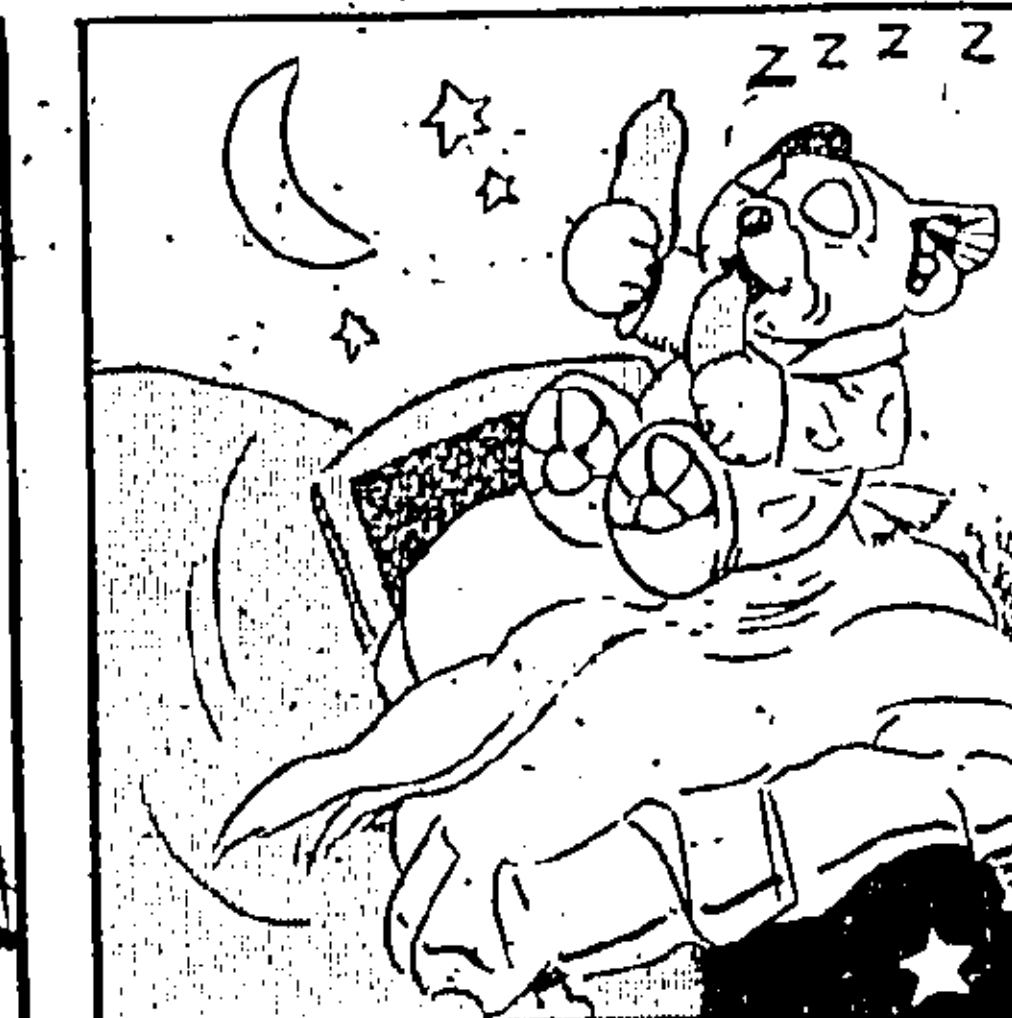
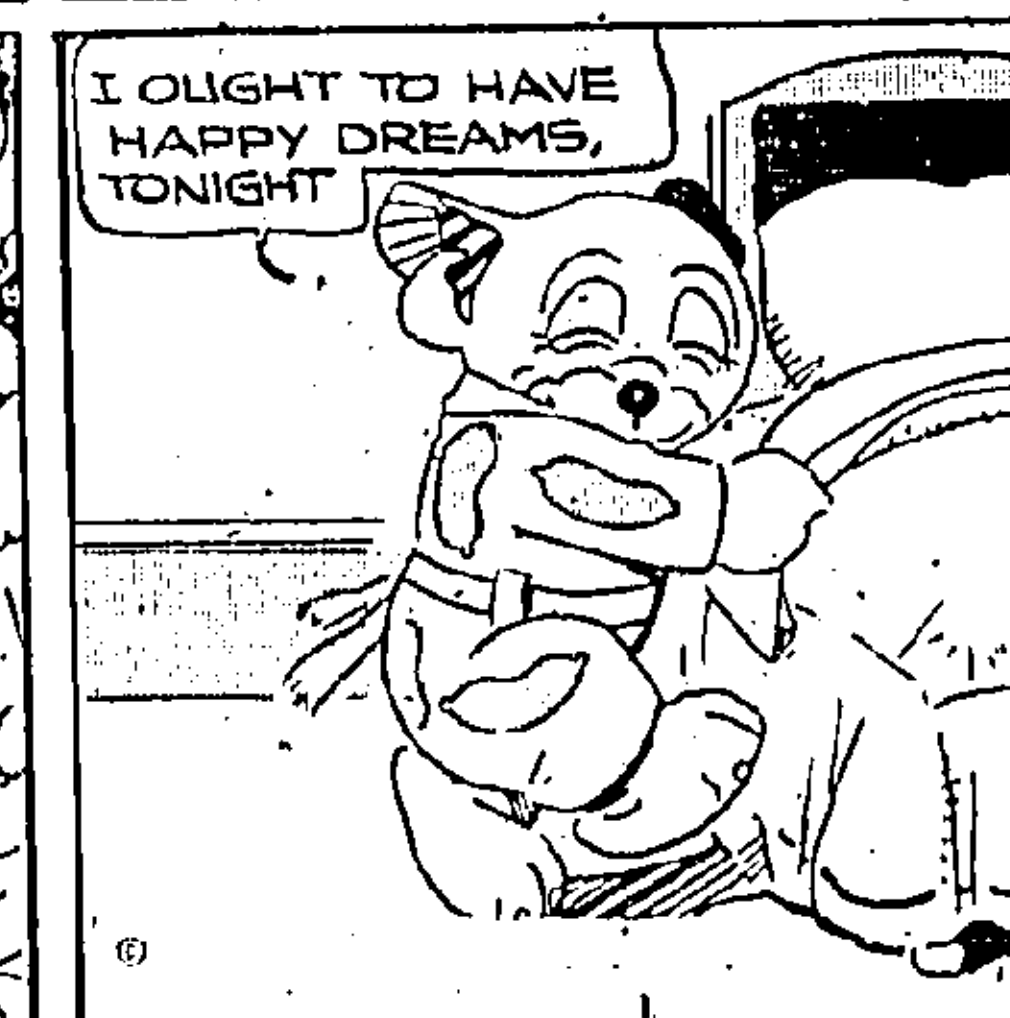
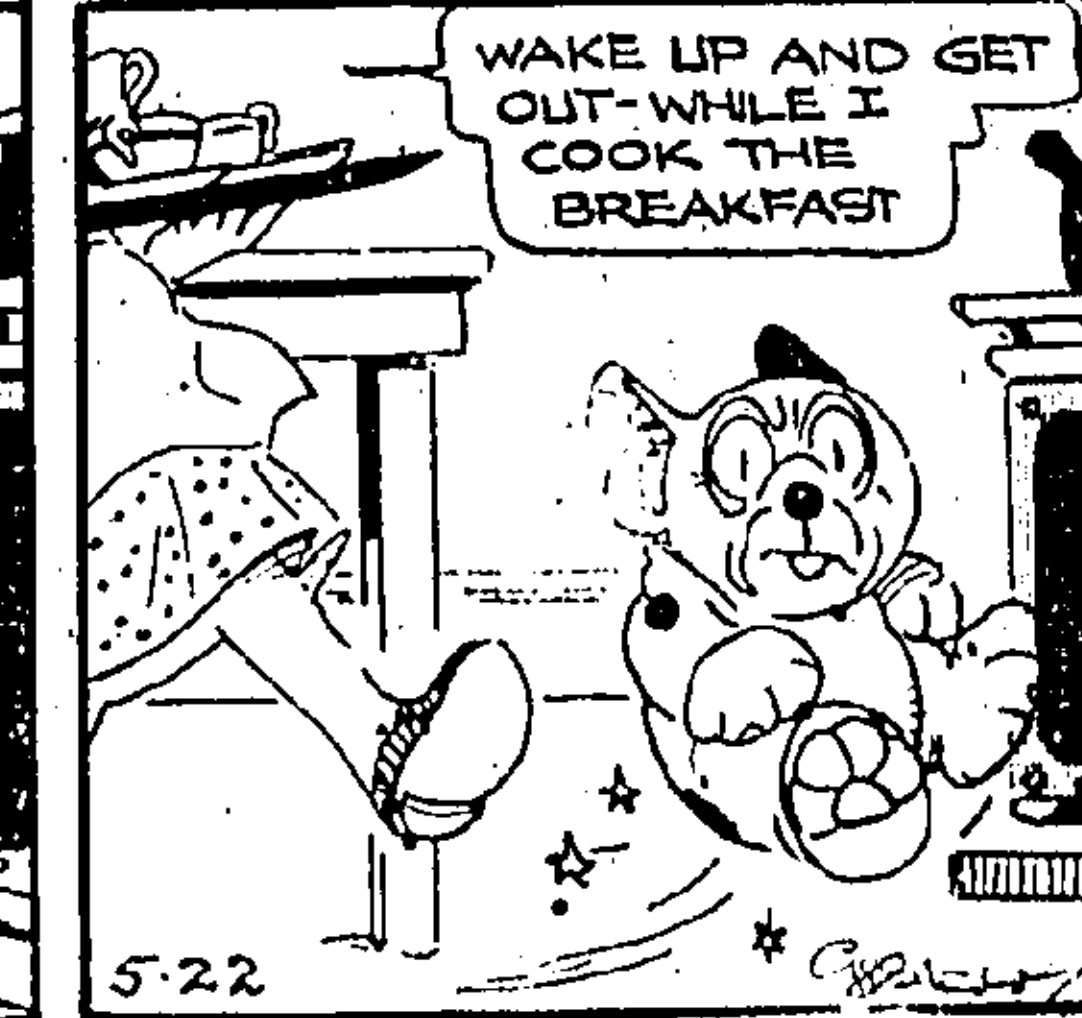
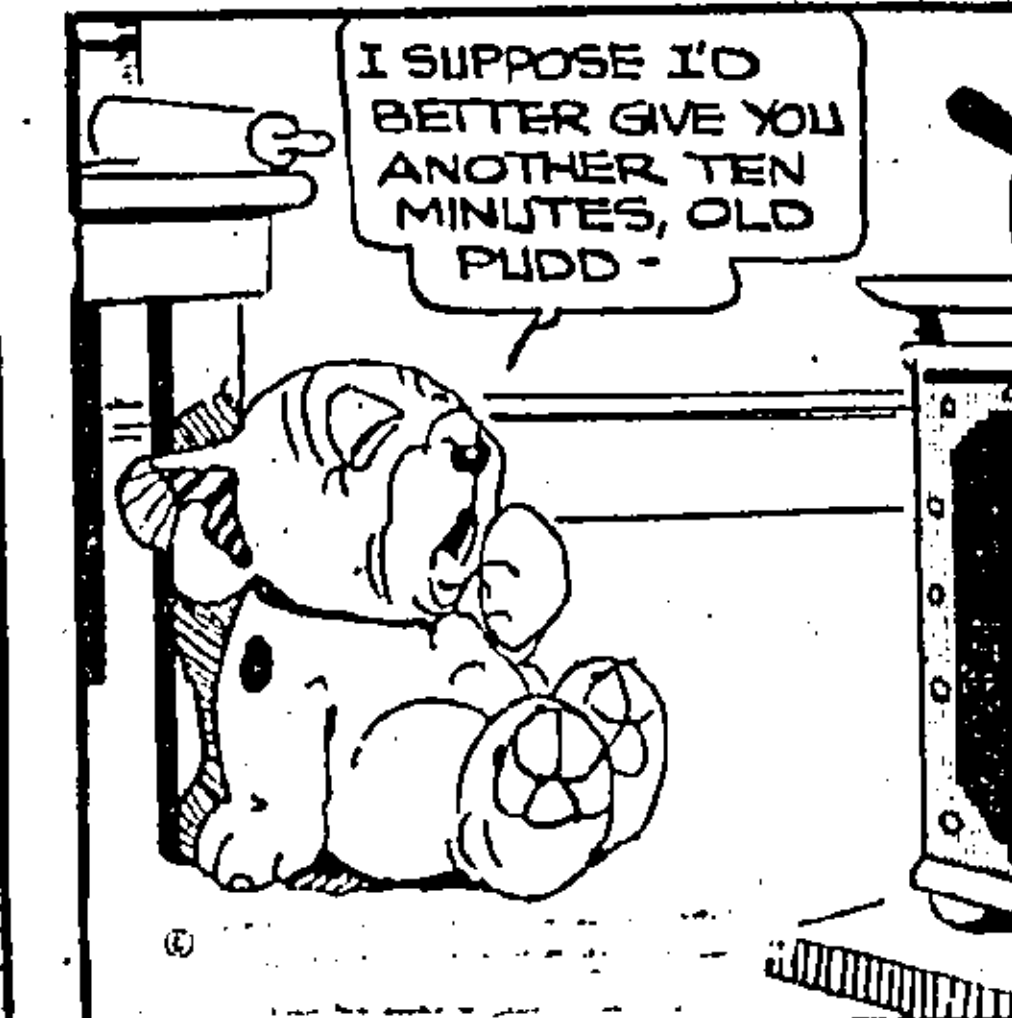
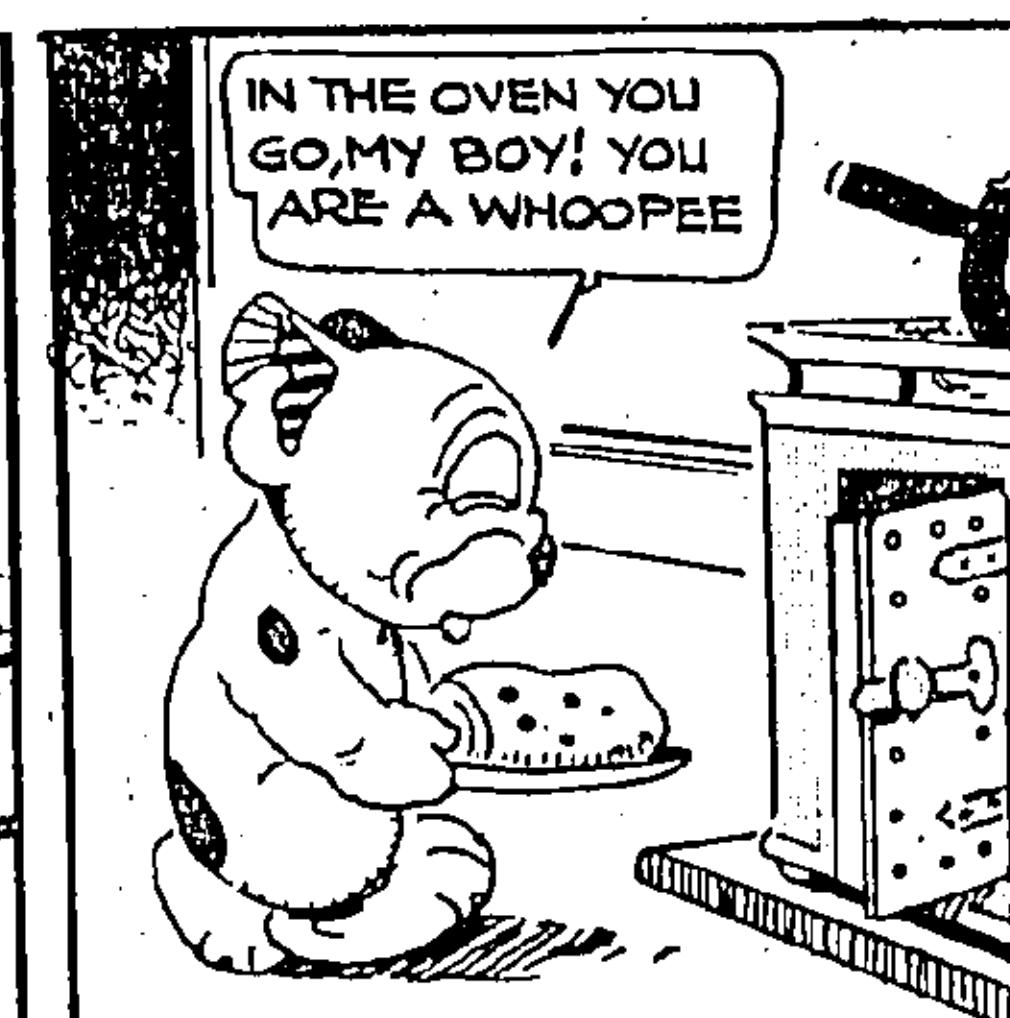
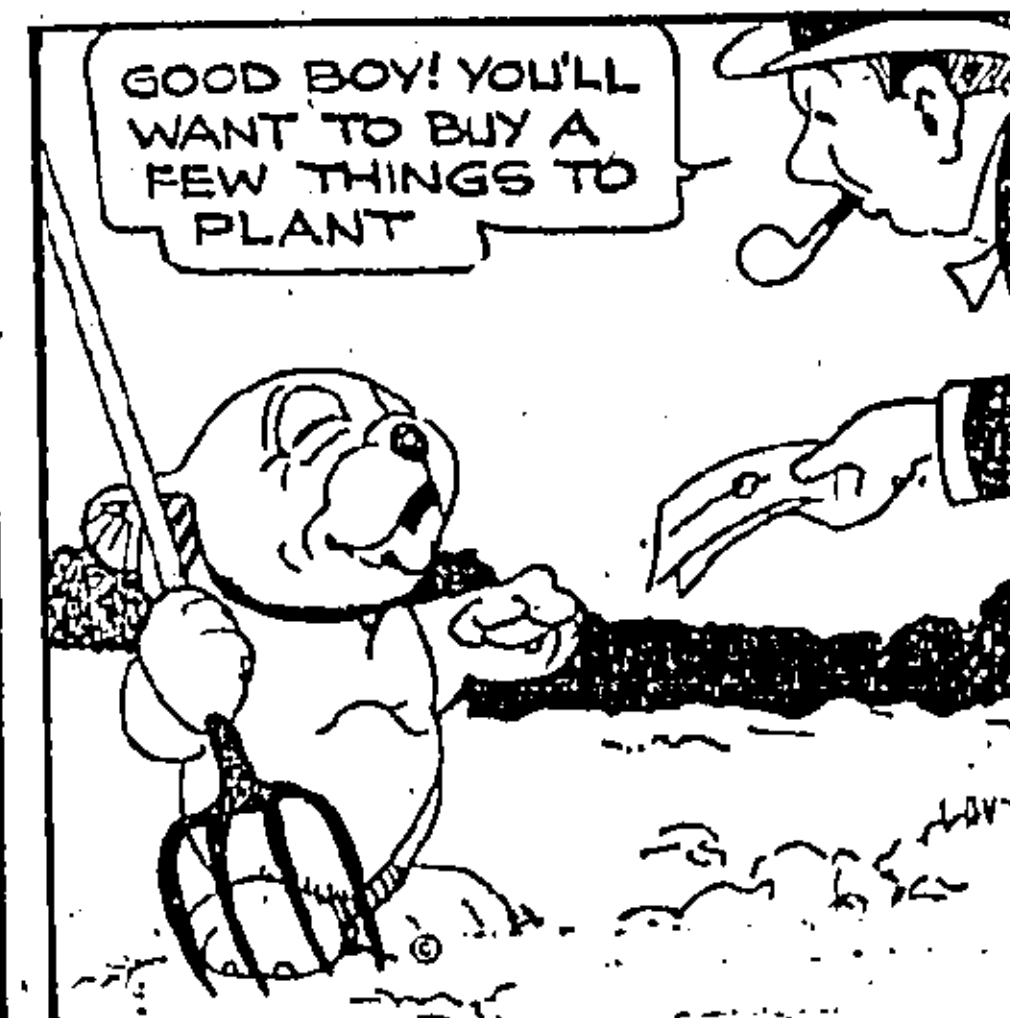
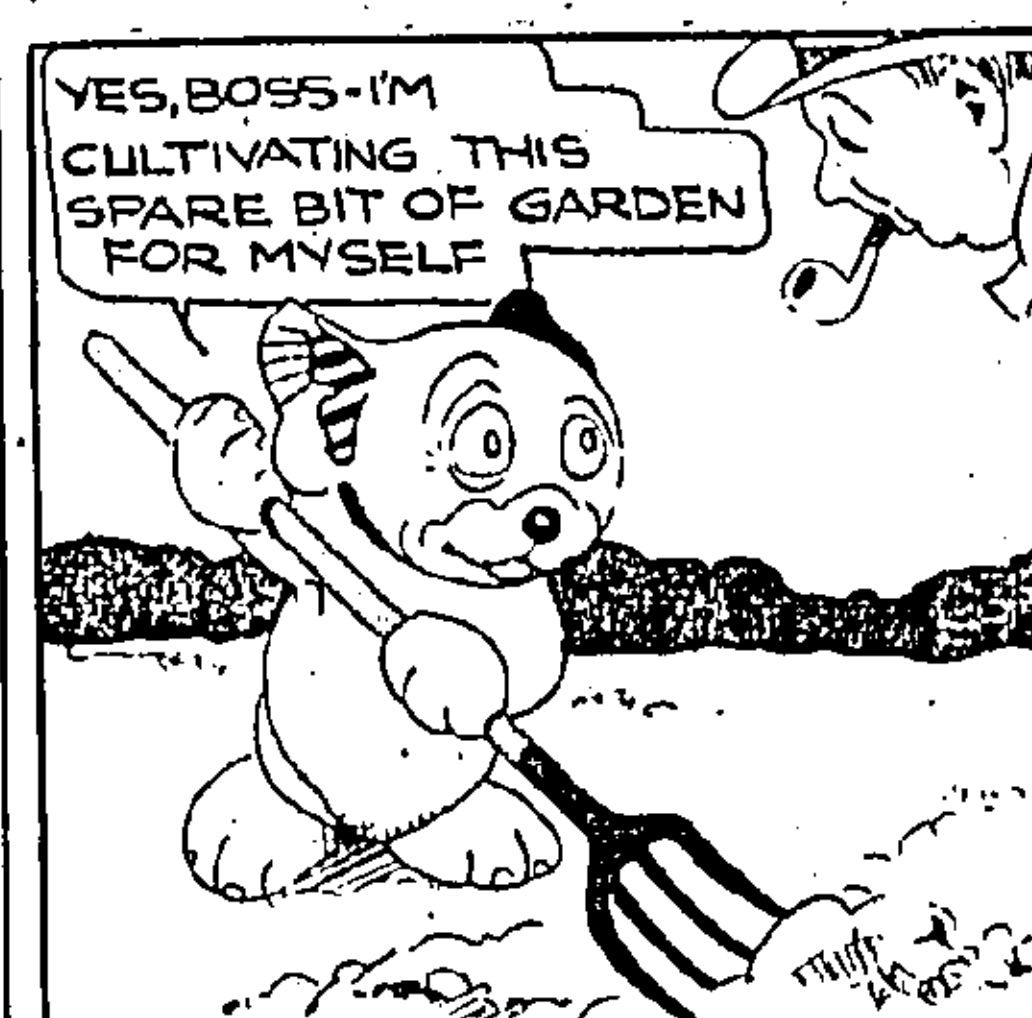
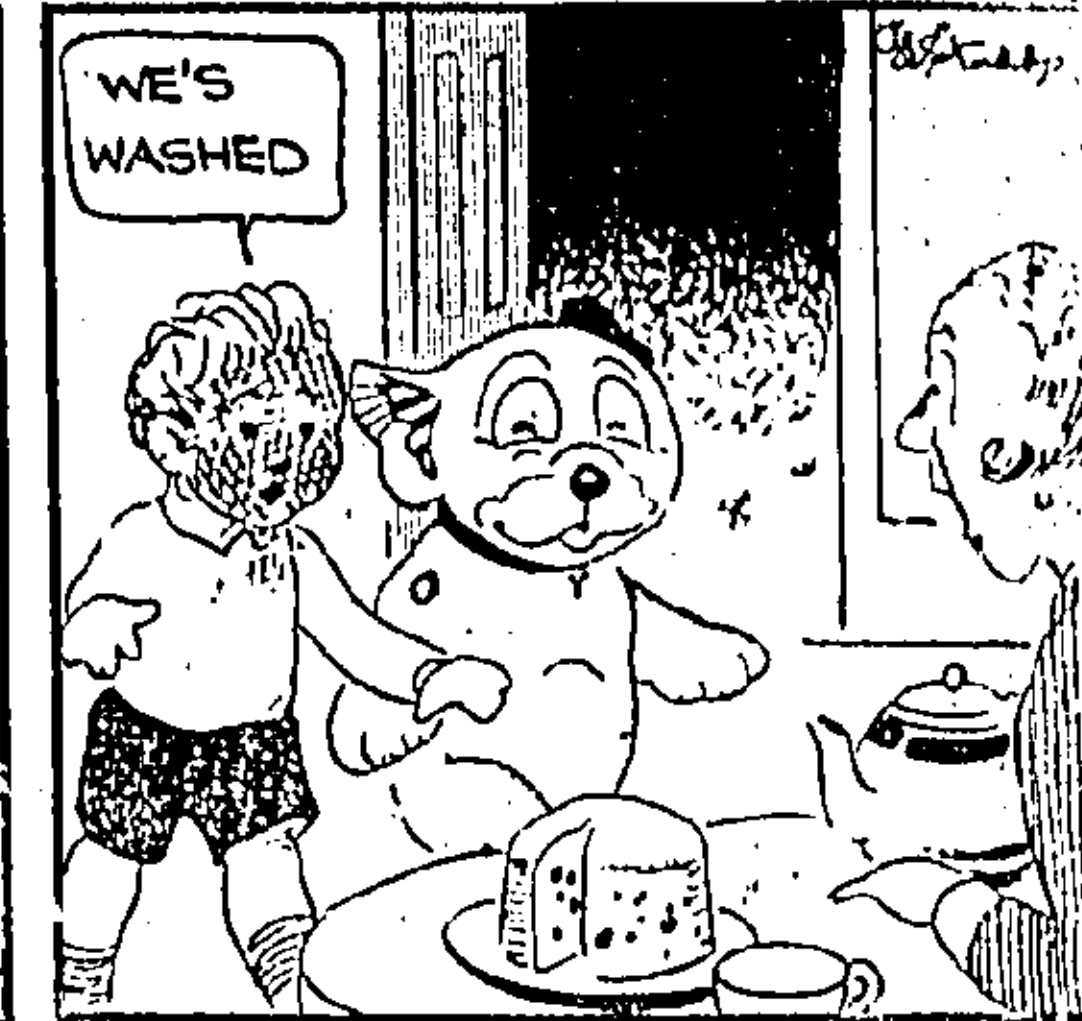
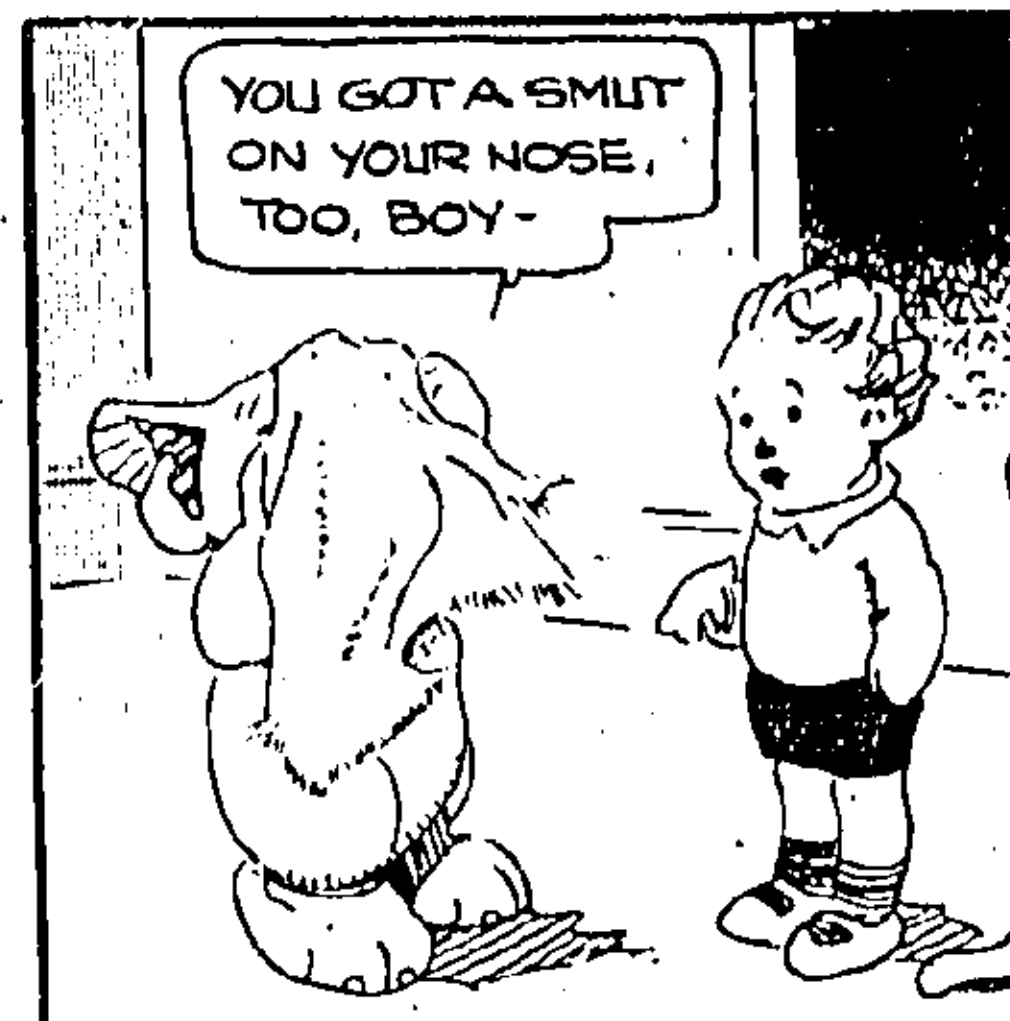
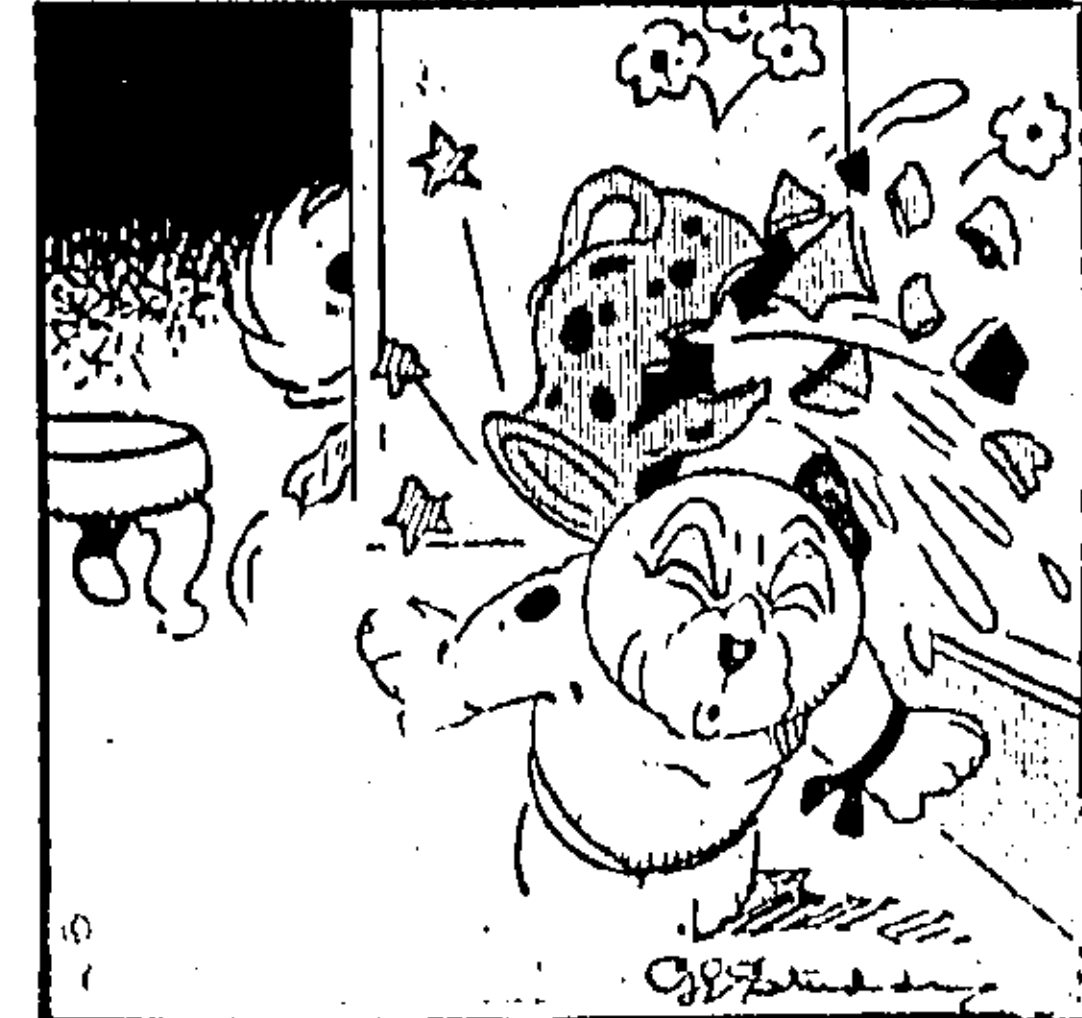
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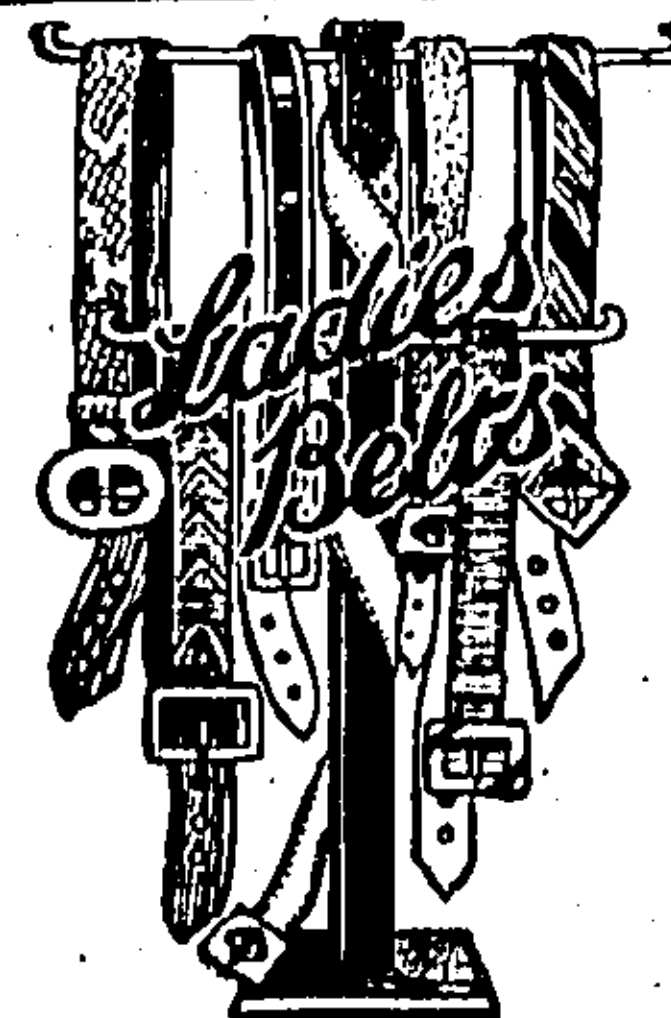
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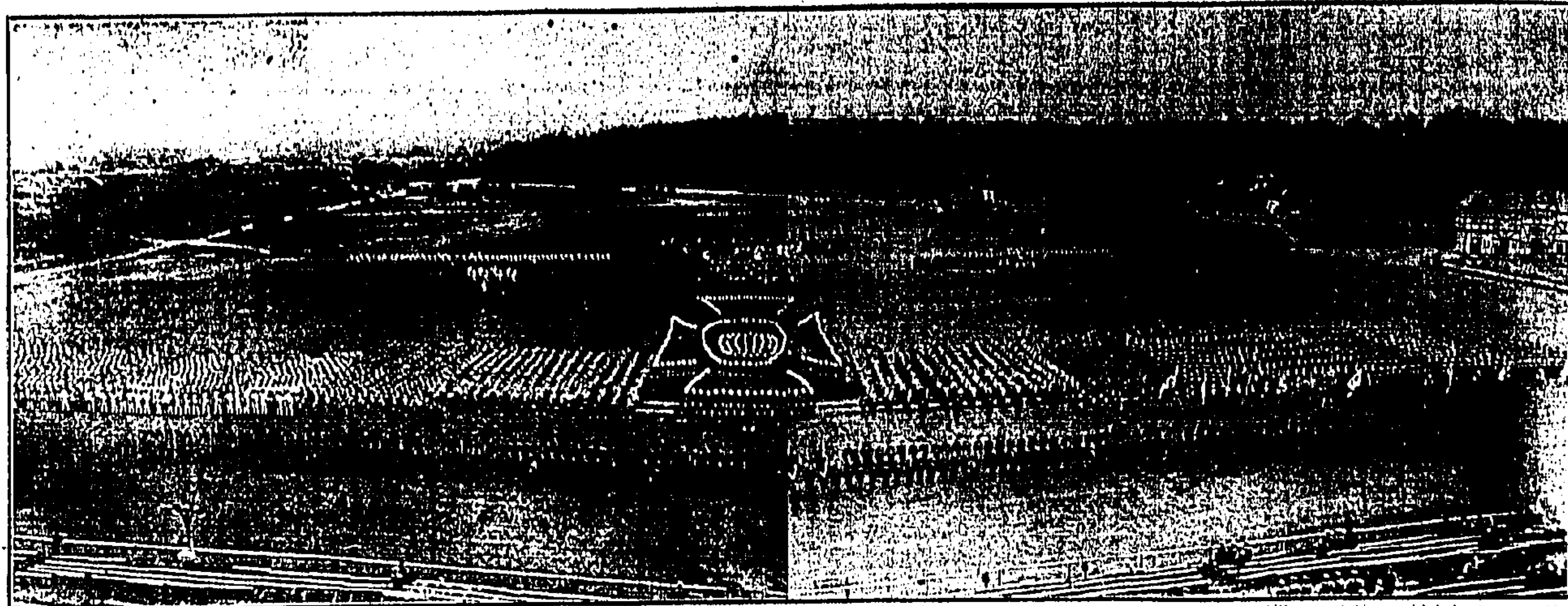
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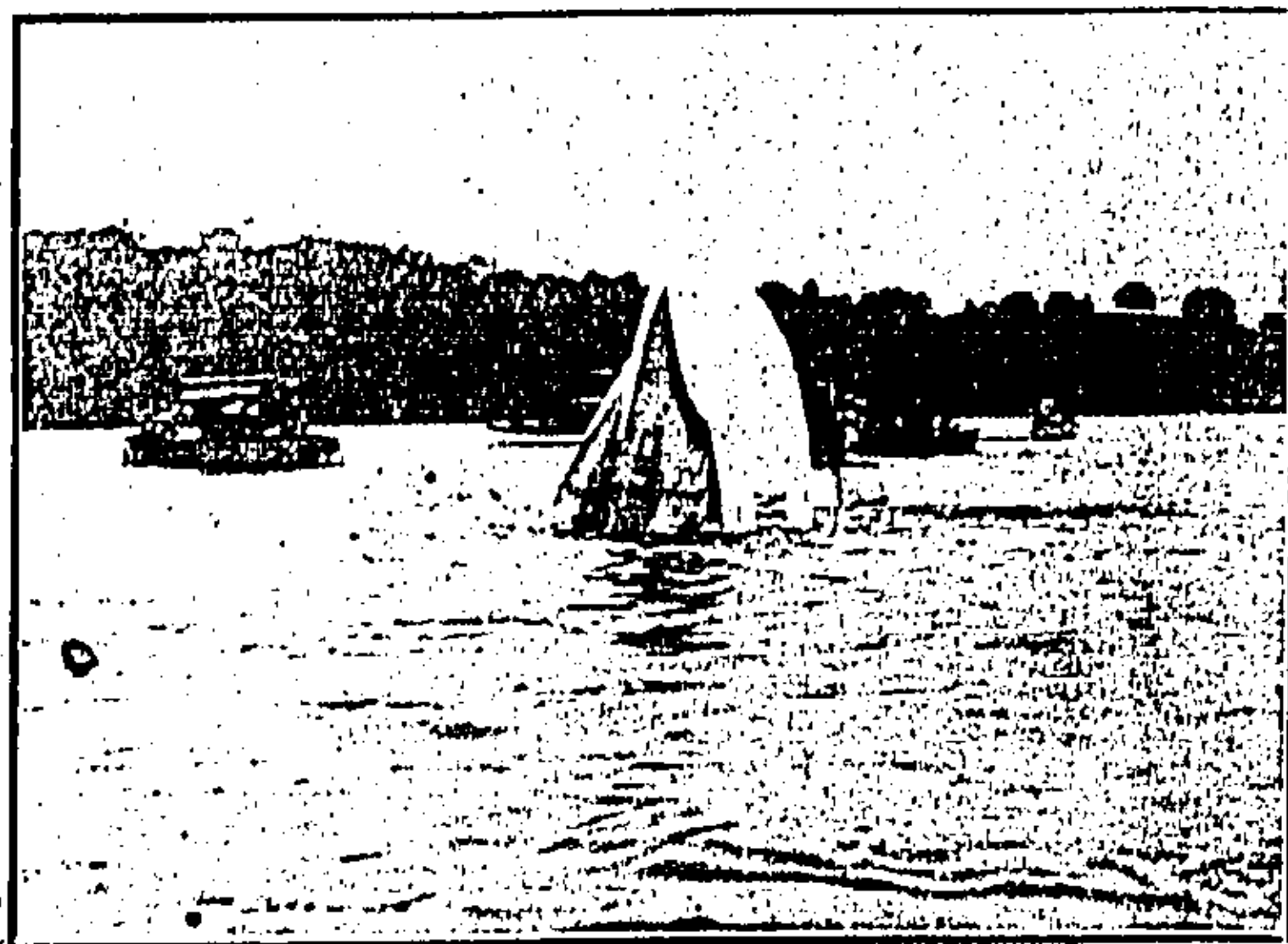
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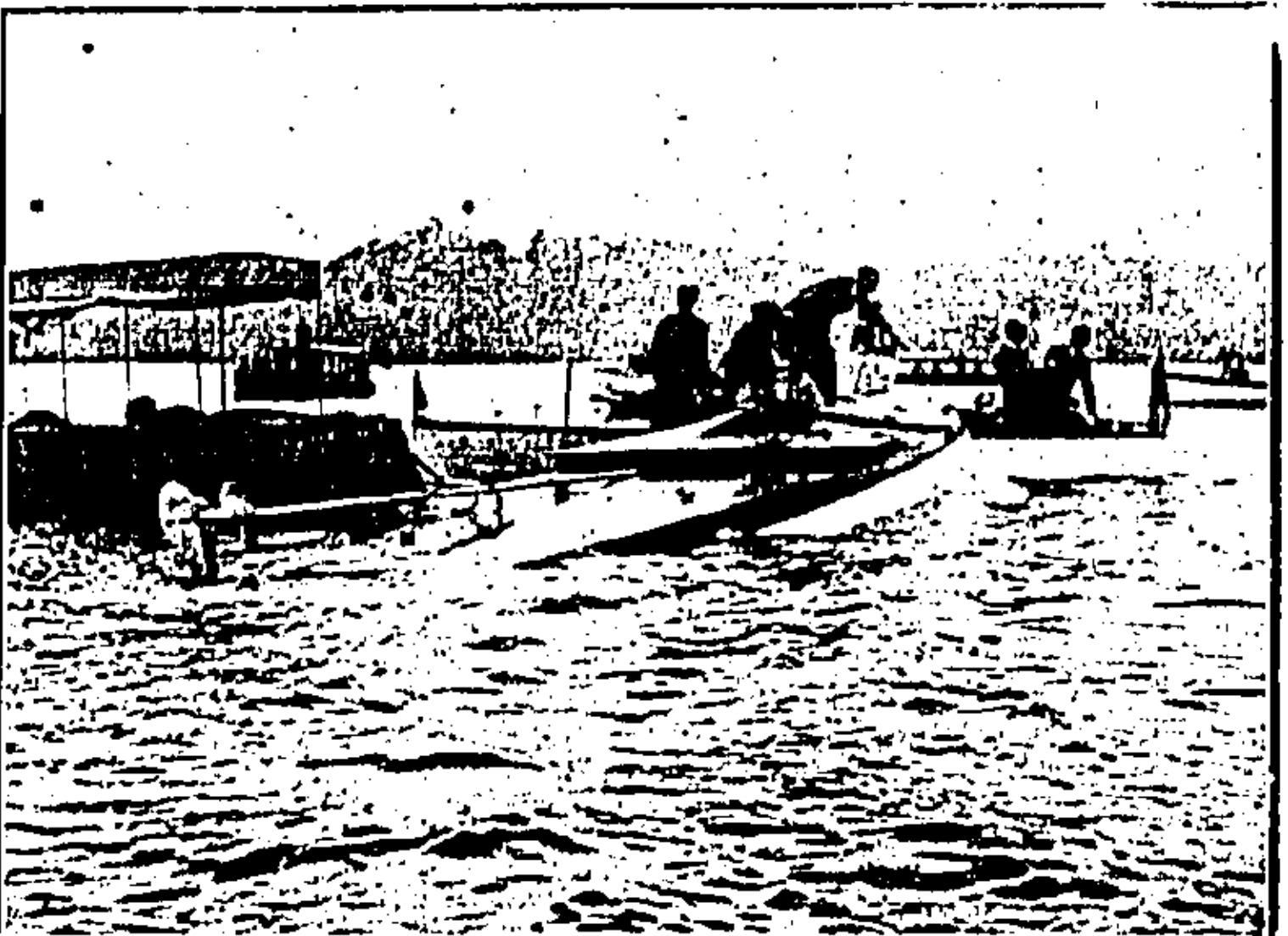




**ALDERSHOT TATTOO.**—A full dress rehearsal was held on June 10, on the Itishmoor Arena, Aldershot, ranks, of the great Searchlight Military Tattoo, which took place there from June 17 to 21. Dramatic historical episodes were enacted with magnificent realism, the spectacular grand finale being the formation of the Victoria Cross in which 4,000 troops took part.—(Sport and General).



**SEGRAVE KILLED.**—Sir Henry Segrave, the holder of the world's land speed record, was killed on Lake Windermere, on June 13, during a successful attempt to break the world's water speed record from America. "Miss England II" settled down some time after the accident, with the bows of the craft visible above the water.—(Sport and General).



**SPEED BOAT RECORD.**—Sir Henry Segrave's 4,000 H.P. speed boat "Miss England II" turned turtle when travelling at a terrific speed, and an explosion followed, the boat sinking afterwards. Sir Henry and Mr. J. Wilcocks (mechanic) were pulled out of the water with terrible injuries to which Sir Henry succumbed later.—(Sport and General).



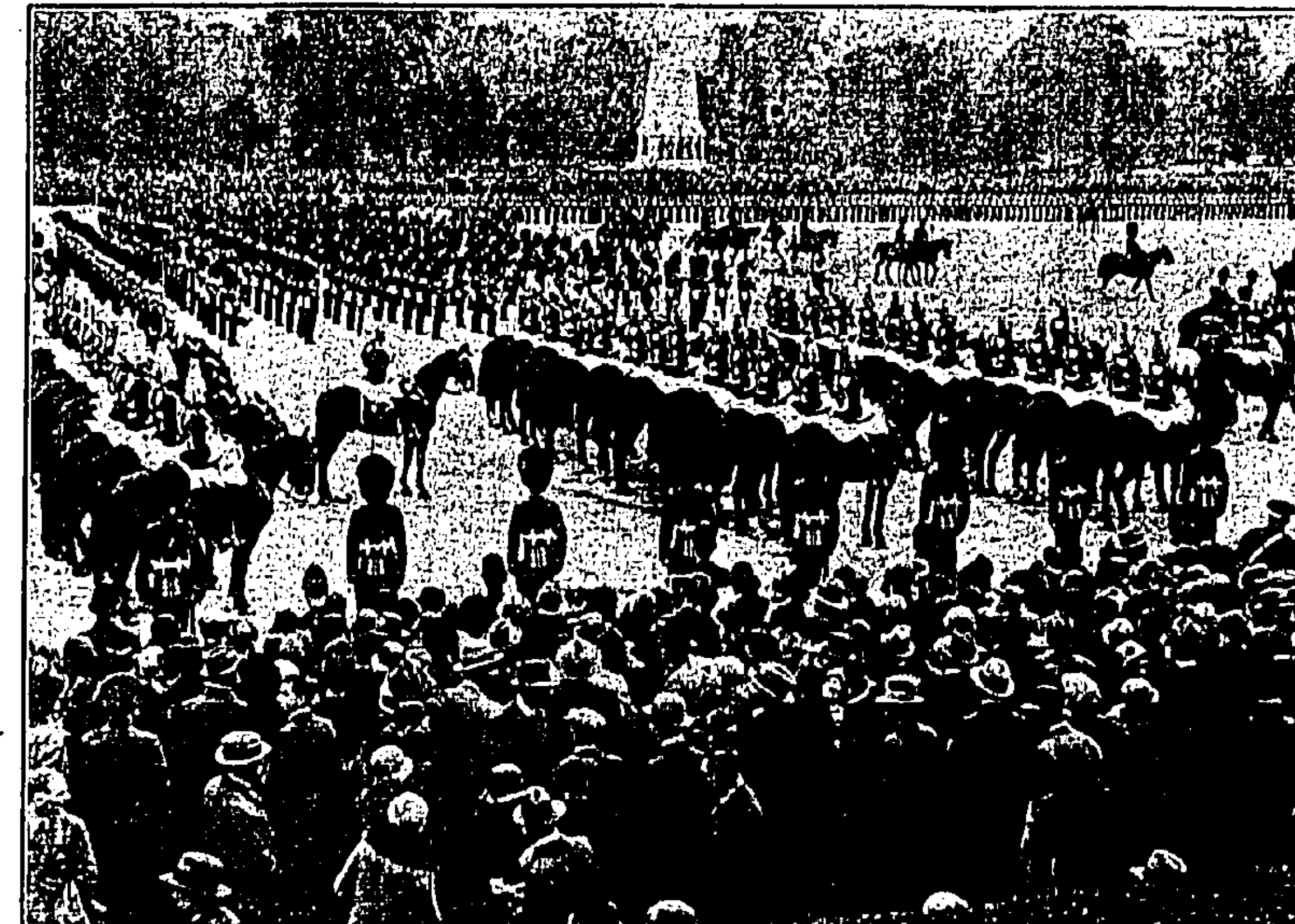
**IMPROMPTU SPORTS** caused much amusement at the annual outing of the staff of a business firm, held at Bracklesham Bay, near Bognor Regis, Sussex. Some of the lady competitors in the Ladies' Milk Drinking contest enjoying the event.—(Sport and General).



**CAPTAIN KINGSFORD-SMITH,** the famous Australian aviator, who recently flew the Atlantic from Ireland to America, with the Southern Cross, his monoplane, at Daldonell Aerodrome Co., Dublin.—(Sport and General).



**FINE ATHLETIC DISPLAY.**—A crowd of over 30,000 watched the British games at Stamford Bridge, which included an International Athletic match between Achilles Club (England) Berliner and Deutscher Club (Germany) and Tade Francals (France). The former won by 72 points. Photo shows a demonstration of sprinting off the starting blocks.—(Sport and General).



**TROOPING THE COLOUR.**—In honour of H.M. King George's 65th Birthday, the annual pageantry of trooping the colour was carried out with customary military precision on the Horse Guards Parade on June 3. A general view of the ceremony, showing H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught and other members of the Royal Family riding down the lines.—(Sport and General).



**LORD CRAIGAVON,** first Viscount, and first Prime Minister of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.—(Sport and General).



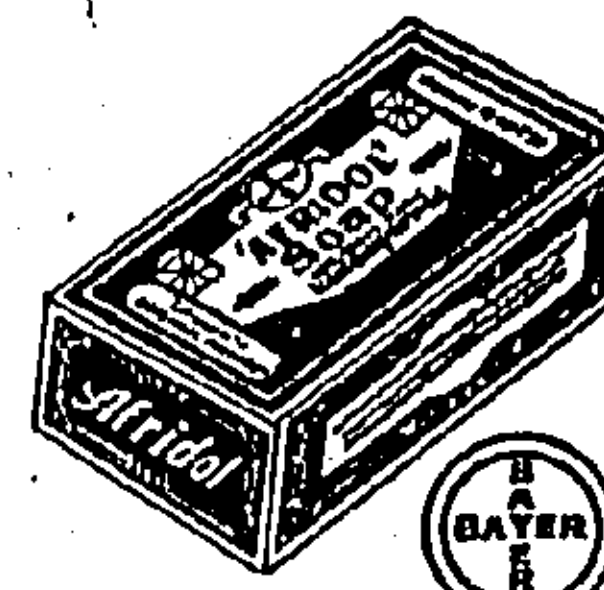
**SPORT OF GLIDING.**—A demonstration of gliding was given by Herr Kronfeld, the expert German glider, at Bescot Hill, near Lower, Sussex, on June 6. The sailplane after being launched over the brow of the hill, soared to 600 feet, and then sailed gracefully across the valley for two miles. During the flight, Herr Kronfeld performed "8" turns and thrilling slides.—(Sport and General).

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## KOWLOON NOTES.

### What a Scout Did.

One morning during last week, a Kowloon Boy Scout did a very kind deed. Of course it was also his good turn for the day. It was about seven o'clock, and the sun had begun to cast its rays down when the Boy Scout, who was standing at the junction of Halphong Road, saw a little sparrow hopping about. It was young, and apparently could not fly. It hopped toward the pavement, where, after trying hard it succeeded in hopping on to the side walk. Here a Chinese lad stooped down, picked the bird up by one leg, and quickly pushed the helpless creature into his sister's jacket pocket. On seeing this, the Scout went up and remonstrated with the lad. The former then took charge of the bird right to his house. The Scout caged the sparrow and gave it water and some food. After an hour or so, the bird began to feel more itself, and, owing to there being a broken stick in the door of the bamboo cage, it flew away.

However, the Scout was satisfied that he took care of the sparrow for the little time that he did, otherwise, it might have been tied to a string by the Chinese lad, and probably cruelly teased about.

And, what is more, the Boy Scout did his Good Turn!

### These Buses.

Last week in these columns the writer passed a few remarks on the organisation of motor buses in Kowloon. He dealt with, mainly, the magisterial comments on a conductor and the racing man which the drivers evidently possess. This week the writer proposes to say a little more on the subject. It is in regard to the leather seats in the first class accommodation. It will be agreed that these seats are very warm for Hong Kong's Summer spell. In fact, many prefer to sit in the second class wooden seats, which are much cooler. Besides being hot (this is especially noticeable in the afternoon when the sun's heated rays beat on the leather seats) these—comfortable!—seats are also dirty. A gentleman (who perspires freely in the back) has his clean Summer suit made unrepresentable by evening time. And must that be so? The Bus Companies should do something, if a little, to give more comfort to their many patrons, especially as they have raised the fares "by kind permission" of the I.G. of Police.



### MacDonald's Successor.

An eagerly-debated topic in political clubland just now is which of Labour's young men is likely to succeed the present Prime Minister. All who join in such speculation seem to be unanimous that Mr. Hartshorn will have no better luck than Mr. Thomas in dealing with unemployment. Apart from this, opinion is growing that, in the absence of a Labour-Liberal pact, the Government will go out of office at the next election, with the consequent eclipse of some of the old leaders.

No Government in recent years has contained so many veterans. Practically every one of the present group of Labour leaders is nearer seventy than sixty. So those in the inner circles are predicting that youth will be served.

### Sir Oswald's Chance.

The men most talked about for the leadership are Sir Oswald Mosley. Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Mr. Tom Johnston, Mr. Herbert Morrison, Dr. Hugh Dalton, and Mr. James Maxton. At least three of this group are known to have limitless ambitions, and these three are playing their cards carefully with the leadership in view. By his bold break with the Government, Sir Oswald Mosley has entirely freed himself from all share of blame for the Cabinet failure on unemployment, but he is still under suspicion by prominent members of both the Right and Left Wings, and only a full rank-and-file confidence vote could determine his personal strength in the Socialist movement.

### Rival Claims.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, the Minister of Transport, is recognised as one of the best debaters in the Labour Party. He is a hard worker, who has had little chance to stamp himself on the popular imagination, but the real wire-pullers of the party prefer him to all the other rivals.

On the other hand, Mr. Arthur Greenwood, the Health Minister, is so popular with everybody that he is just the kind of man who might be passed over. Mr. Maxton may be ruled out, and, though Mr. Johnston and Dr. Dalton have ability, their claims are not strong. The balance of opinion is that Mr. Morrison is the favourite, but

if the rank and file were to choose a new leader it would be Sir Oswald Mosley.

### Mr. Sheriff's Comedy.

All the critics are saying that Mr. R. C. Sheriff has not written another "Journey's End." There can be only one "Journey's End," though it is possible that the author of the greatest war play might write a masterpiece of a different kind. "Badger's Green," produced at the Prince of Wales Theatre, is not a masterpiece, but a simple and unpretentious little comedy, based on a village cricket match. And as cricket is very much in the public eye at the moment, the first-night audience seemed quite pleased with it all. The play shows that Mr. Sheriff has a keen sense of humour. That is something to be pleased about.

### Present for the Prince.

The exhibition of works by living British artists in aid of the Personal Fund of the Prince of Wales for the British Legion was opened by Lady Patricia Ramsay, herself a painter who has sustained two "one-man shows" of her own. On June 26, Captain Reginald Berkeley auctioned the works not sold by then, after an address by the Duke of Marlborough, and Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey issued a reminder that, as the exhibition closed within a few days of the Prince's birthday, His Royal Highness would particularly appreciate the happy present which a splendid result would represent.

In this connection, there were three portraits of the Prince to choose from—by Professor W. Rothenstein, Mr. G. E. Harrison, and "As a Cadet," by Mr. Samuel Begg.

### Royal Portraits.

Otherwise the Royal family was well to the fore. Sir William Llewellyn had companion drawings of the King and Queen, both very lifelike, and A. C. Hamming's picture of Princess Elizabeth, in the act of looking up at butterflies, is a delightful picture, while "Harewood, Yorkshire," by Florence Bradley recalls Princess Mary's constant concern for the Legion.

Considering the object of the exhibition, so near the Prince's heart as it is, most interest was taken in

the historical war sketches by Sir William Orpen, Sir John Lavery, and others—especially those lightening flashes of Wilson, Lloyd George, and Clemenceau at the Peace Conference—but the "Frisco" of W. R. Sickert, and "Prime Ministers" by Max Beerbohm, like the Munnings' studies, were appreciated for their own sakes.

### Honouring Lipton.

Sportsmen all over the country will rejoice that the British Sports Club, over which Lord Decies is the presiding genius, has arranged to give a dinner at the Savoy, on July 14, in honour of Sir Thomas Lipton, before he leaves for America with Shamrock V. and a large party of his friends.

There are few more popular sporting personalities than Sir Thomas, who has spent something like half a million in trying to recapture for Britain the America Cup, and is thoroughly convinced that at long last the much-coveted prize is well within his grasp. Shamrock V. has given splendid promise in her trial races, and Sir Thomas will set out on his quest more confident than he has ever been.

### Mr. Maxton Travels.

If a prize were given for the most widely travelled M.P. outside Ministerial rank, Mr. James Maxton would be well in the running. The raven-haired leader of the Clyde "rebels" is becoming something of a globe-trotter. During this year alone he has been twice to Germany, once to Norway and Sweden, once to Holland and Belgium, and now he is meeting some French Socialists at Bordeaux.

Mr. Maxton is hard to please. He does not like the Second International movement, because it is too moderate. Nor does he like the Moscow or Third International, because it is too extreme. So he is trying to build the new International between the extreme Right and Left.

### Mr. Runciman's Elég.

When you meet Mr. Walter Runciman who, it is announced, was invited to take an important part in the management of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company meeting on June 18, you would never imagine he was a proud island king.

There is nothing in the least way Bohemian about the man who first entered the House of Commons by unseating Mr. Winston Churchill at Oldham. Yet in the Island of Elég, off the Inverness coast, the Liberal statesman has a possession of which Mr. Compton Mackenzie, with all his passion for islands, might well be envious.

It is a self-contained sportsman's paradise, a perfect retreat from worldly cares. And it has an appropriately named neighbour in the Island of Rhum.

### Youthful Yvette.

Yvette Guilbert is back at the Arts Theatre Club with her one-woman show, and her admirers are marvelling again at her eternal youth. Though she is now well over sixty, this talented actress has lost none of the rich personality and vivid style which have endeared her to Parisian playgoers since Edwardian days.

Mme. Guilbert dislikes cocktails, which she considers are bad for the digestion, takes few holidays, and believes in hard work. In spite of many setbacks, including the memory of one awful night at Manchester, when she was howled down, she remains the jolliest philosopher of life we know.

### OUR FINANCES.

The revenue and expenditure of the Government for the month of March are as follows:—  
Balance of Assets and Liabilities on February 28, 1930 ... \$10,987,867.69  
Revenue from March 1 to 31 1930 ..... 1,889,848.88  
Expenditure from March 1 to 31 1930 ..... 1,829,984.90  
Balance ..... \$11,047,731.67

## POETS' CORNER.

### HOW FOOTBALL IS DESCRIBED

A correspondent makes the following poetic appeal to the Editor of the British North Borneo Herald:—  
Permit me Sir, to foist this small addition  
Upon the Editorial letter box.  
A mild self-distant metrical petition—  
More frequent shocks.

The stimulus of more audacious diction  
Is what the Reader looks for in some sort.  
In the non-portraiture, or truth, or fiction  
Of any sport.

Gene are the days of sober, bold  
Which called a spade an ordinary spade.  
We baffle now with variant appellation  
By "Linesman's" aid.

We have outgrown,—so Art sup-  
planteth Nature—  
Words with a common and pedestrian sound:  
Echoes of Mid-Victorian nomenclature,  
"Goal post" or "Ground."

Bold flights of fancy as e.g., "arcana,"  
Or "Home Enclosure" too, no matter which,  
Sound a note truer, purer and serene-  
er;  
And why not "Pitch?"

Again—picture yourself a "speedy winger,"  
You shoot and miss the post—that's just a miss.  
But ah! To "graze the upright with a stringer"  
Spells game and bliss.

To me the centre forward is the centre.  
An ordinary forward and no more;  
But to that mind wherein great concepts enter  
And high thoughts soar.

He is the "pushful pivot"—with his fellows  
He forms the "vanguard" "front line" or "quintette,"  
And when they score the touchline experts below  
"They're found the net!"

A reference to the halves is quite misleading.  
They are the "middle line," who when they clear  
And to the forwards pass (don't call it "feeding")  
Transfer the Sphere.

Last but not least, what of that lone lorn figure,  
Whose job it is to interpose a limb  
To every shot; what phrases are de-  
rigueur  
Applied to him?

"Custodian" or "Goalie" you're requested  
To style him; and he keeps, the papers tell,  
Though "called upon to handle" and though "tested,"  
A "Citadel."

"FEAR NOT, I HAVE THE KEYS OF DEATH."

Of all the truths that star our night  
And cheer our hearts with heavenly light,  
With wealth of comfort manifold,  
Oh, tell me if the mute is known,  
To these blest words, the Saviour's own,  
"Fear not, the keys of death I hold."

What joy to know life's outer gate  
At no command of Chance or Fate  
Swings wide to you and me,  
Impassable it still must stand,  
Securely locked, until His hand  
In love puts in the key.

To Him our tearful eyes we turn,  
As for loved voices hushed we yearn,  
"Too soon," we cry, "their part-  
ing breath."

With instant sympathy divine  
He answers us, "Dear child of mine,  
Not so; I have the keys of death,"  
And when we face that final scene,  
That valley dim, two worlds between,  
With shuddering, fainting breath;  
"Twill flood the vale with heaven's own ray,  
Our trembling hands in His to lay,  
While sweet and clear we hear Him say,  
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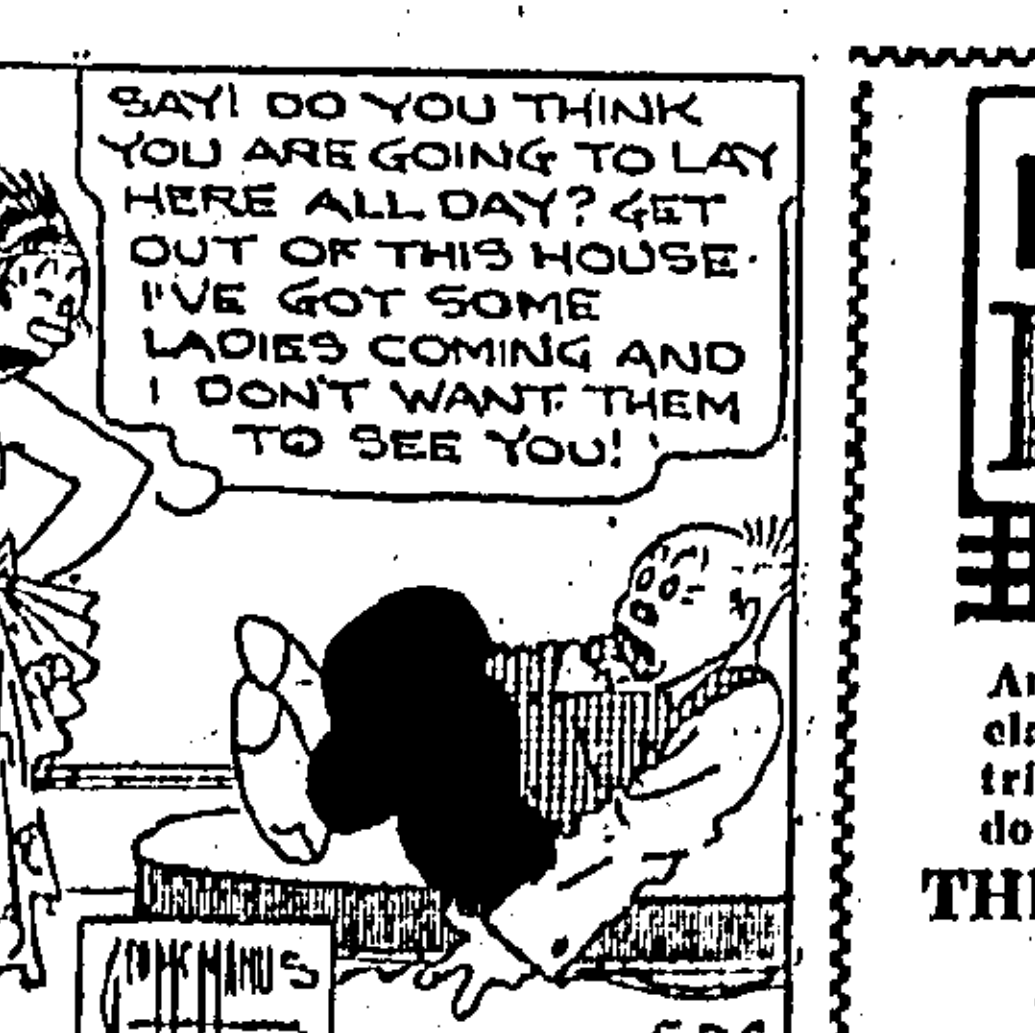
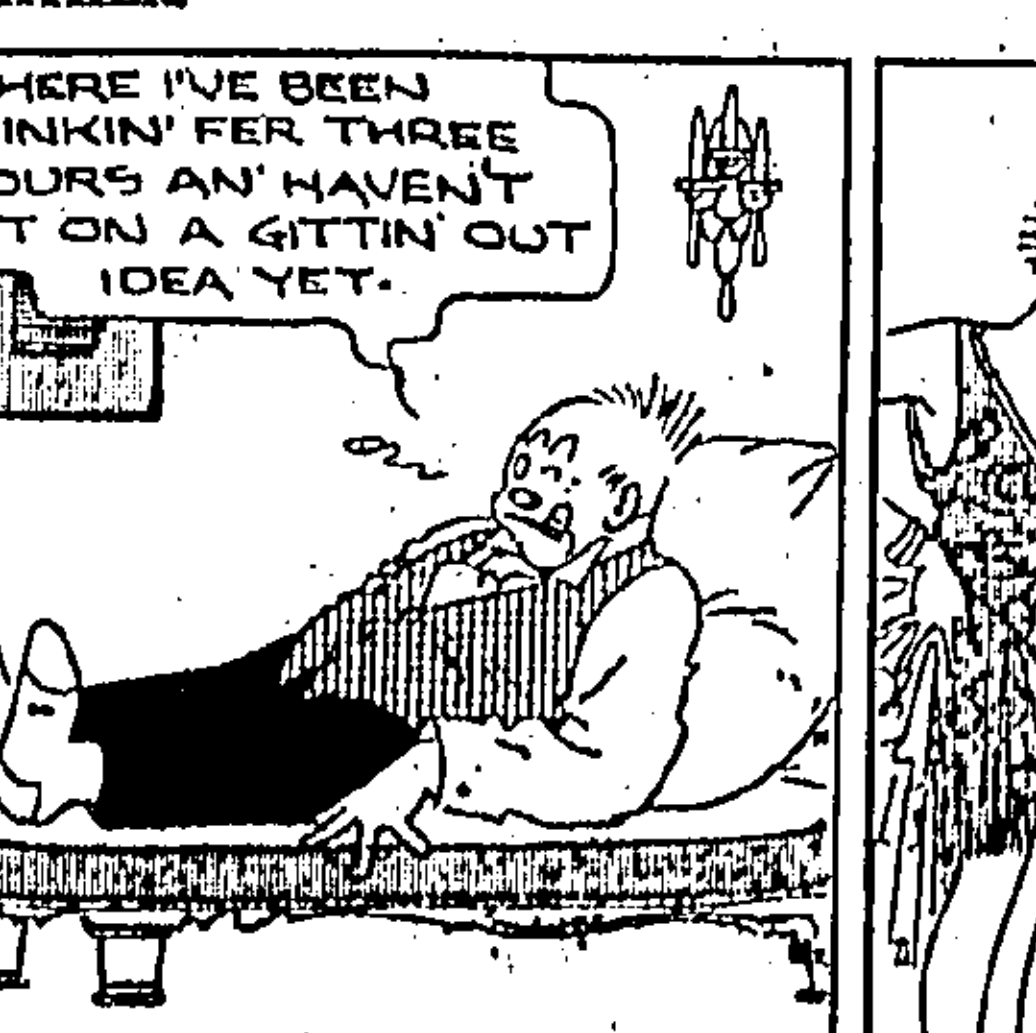
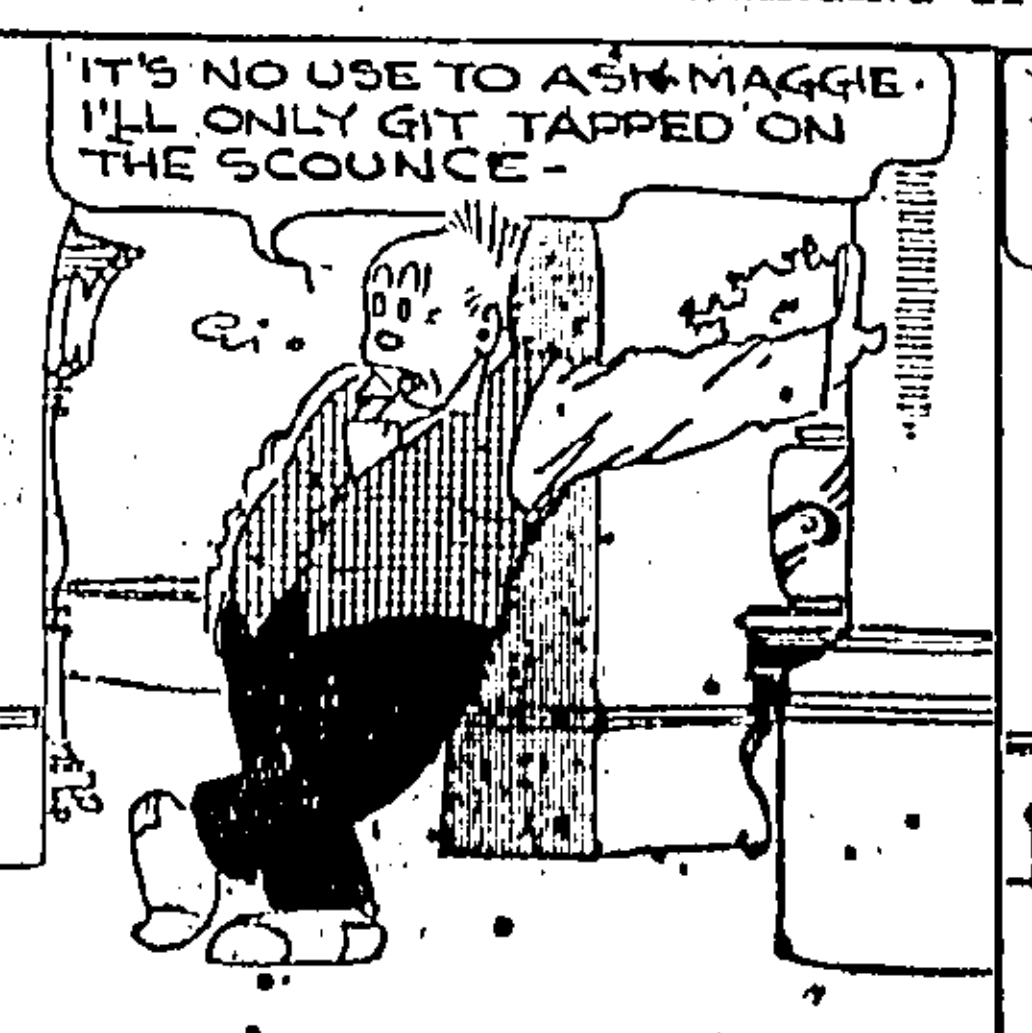
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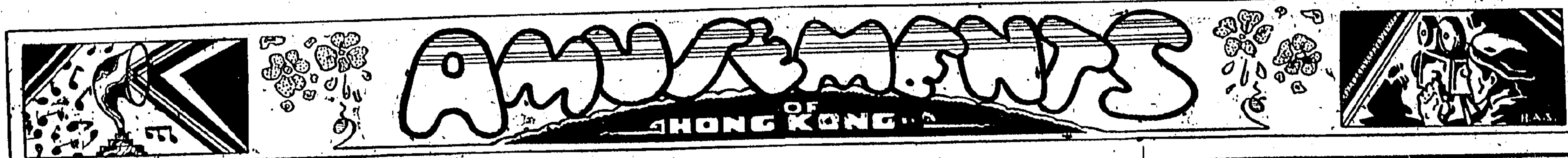


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## MOVIELAND.

## The Week's Films at a Glance.

## QUEEN'S THEATRE.

(Daily at 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.20.)  
 To-day to Tuesday:—Lola Lane in the all-talking drama, "The Girl from Havana."  
 Wednesday:—The return one of the screen's greatest spectacles, "Fox Movietone Follies of 1929."  
 Thursday to Saturday:—An epic of the screen "Seven Faces" featuring Paul Muni in seven roles. With Marguerite Churchill.

## WORLD THEATRE.

At 2.30 & 7.15 Interpreter.  
 At 5.15 & 9.20 Orchestra.  
 To-day and To-morrow:— "Home James," an exhilarating comedy starring the delightful comedienne, Laura La Plante.  
 Tuesday and Wednesday:—Betty Bronson, Ford Sterling and Louise Dresser in "Everybody's Acting," an entertaining story of stage life.  
 Thursday to Saturday:—D. W. Griffith's superb production, "Lady of the Pavements." Featuring an all star cast including William Boyd, Lupe Velez, Jotta Goudal, George Fawcett and Albert Conti.

## STAR THEATRE.

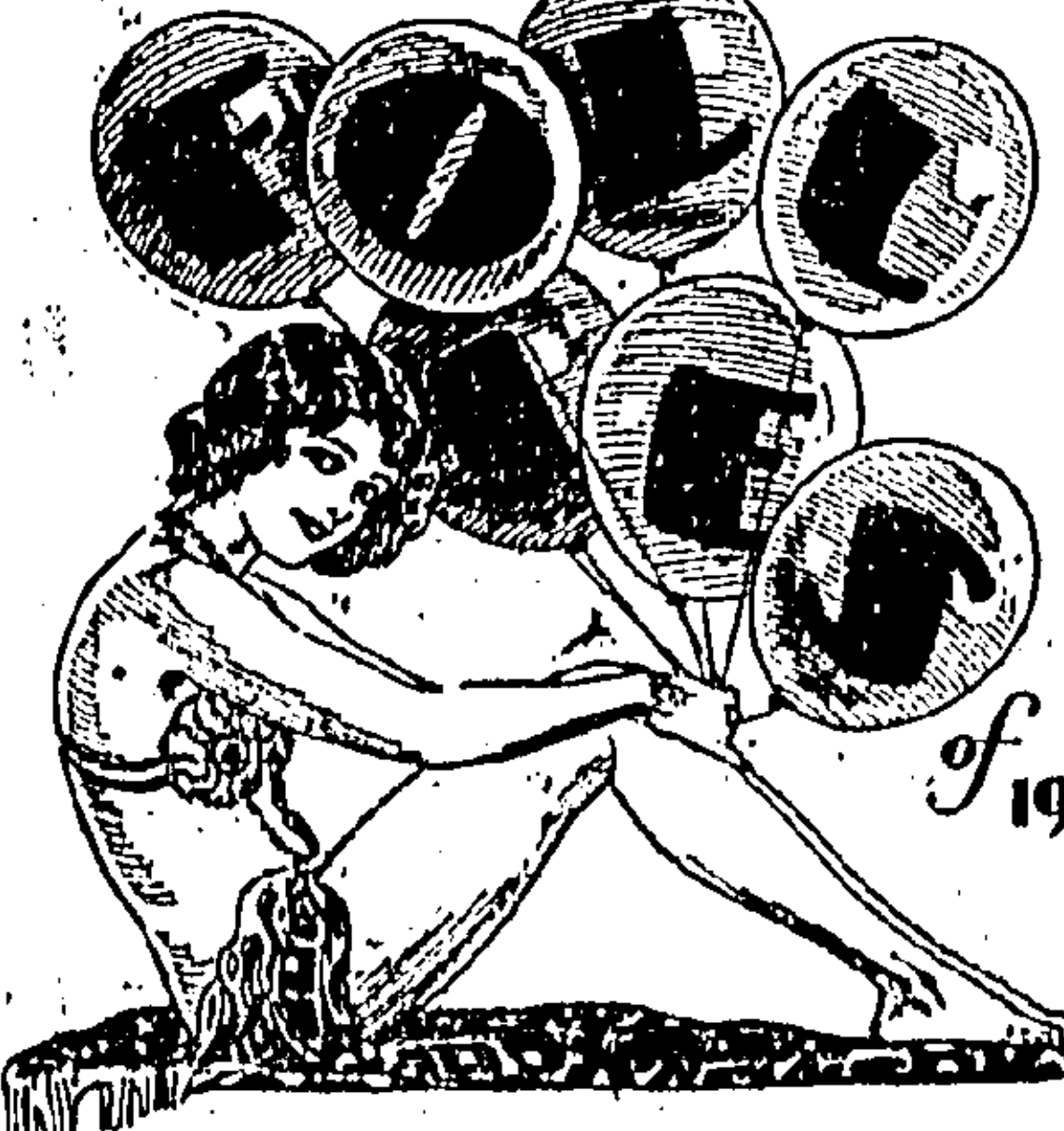
Daily at 5.30 Only.  
 At 9.15 "Nicola."  
 Special Cinema Matinees Every Saturday and Sunday.  
 Sunday and Monday:—Max Murray in a colourful romance, "Valencia," with Lloyd Hughes and Roy D'Arcy.  
 Tuesday and Wednesday:—"The Big City," Lon Chaney's gripping drama of the underworld. With Marceline Day, Betty Compson and James Murray in the supporting cast.  
 Thursday to Saturday:—The dazzling life story of Broadway's idolized Jazz singer, Al Jolson in "The Jazz Singer."

## FOX MOVIE TALKER, "THE GIRL FROM HAVANA" IS FILMED ON THE SPOT.

On the broad, palm-lined avenues of Havana, amid the sugar plantations, at Balboa, in the Canal Zone, and on board a liner passing through the Panama Canal, scenes of "The Girl from Havana," all talking Fox Movietone production opening to-day at the Queen's Theatre, were filmed and recorded. Benjamin Stollhoff, director and his players, with Lola Lane and Paul Page in the featured roles, were accorded every facility by Cuban officials, the Havana police, the commandant of Morro Castle, and other persons in public life on the beautiful island, to obtain the authentic backgrounds and scenic locales written into the story by John Stone and Edwin Burke. The result is a strikingly beautiful pictorial production animated by the sounds of the quaint old city and the stirring dialogue of the fast-moving action.

"The Girl from Havana," played brilliantly by Lola Lane, is a detective who is sent from the Cuban capital by Jewelers' Detective Agency to Balboa to intercept a passenger liner Havana-bound.

## QUEEN'S WEDNESDAY WILLIAM FOX MOVIE TALKER



The Return of the Screen's Greatest Spectacle  
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## MUNI'S DIRECTOR HAILS HIM AS OUTSTANDING PERFORMER.

"When an actor is so clever at changing his character that he confuses his own director, he must be of the first rank." Such is the conclusion of Herthold Viertel, director of "Seven Faces," Fox Movietone all talking production, regarding Paul Muni.

Muni, regarded as America's foremost character actor, plays seven distinct roles in "Seven Faces." And the transformation in Muni is wonderful to behold. He actually lives each character as he plays it.

"I have seen many impersonators and thousands of actors in my many years as a stage director," said Viertel, "but I've never seen an actor who can so completely submerge his own personality as Muni does in 'Seven Faces'. My one fear is that people will not believe he actually plays the seven roles, the contrast in character is so startling and there is such a complete change of voice and appearance."

Muni, himself, says the trick in changing characterization is in his eyes.

"I can make my eyes appear as those of an old man, of a young man, and the many stages in between," he said. "Another thing is that I never have let myself develop any little personal idiosyncrasies which would be present in the various characters I play."

Viertel, too, commented on that feature.

Muni, during the making of "Seven Faces," which is an adaptation of one of Richard Connell's great stories, completely deceived every one on the Fox Studio lot who was not working on the picture. Several times, directors recognizing a great type that they wanted in some production on which they were working, tried to interview him, mistaking him for an extra or a visitor who had strayed on the lot. In most cases, Muni didn't even step out of character to identify himself, and he reaped his reward in laughs when he watched the faces of these directors at a studio's preview of his picture.

"Seven Faces," which also features Marguerite Churchill and Lester Lonergan, includes such able support as Russell Gleason, Eugene Bessner, Gustav von Seyffertitz and Walter Rogers. It will be seen and heard at the Queen's Theatre on Thursday.

upon which a gang of jewel thieves have taken passage from Los Angeles. They have with them the loot of a diamond robbery perpetrated in broad daylight on a Los Angeles jewelry establishment, the intriguing incident with which the picture opens. Their attempt to land at Morro Castle before the steamer docks, and the denouement when the clever girl detective not only springs her trap, but finds a threatened romance of her own, marks a colorful and vastly exciting climax to this most unusual Fox Movietone production.

Benjamin Stollhoff, the director, is a veteran of the Fox organization. His recent work was shown in "Protection," and in "Speakeasy."

Players of note in the cast supporting Lola Lane and Paul Page in "The Girl from Havana" are Natalie Moorhead, Joseph Girard, Warren Hymer, Adele Windsor, Kenneth Thomson and Juan Sedillo.

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**SEVEN FACES**  
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## "HOME JAMES."

Laura La Plante's Splendid Comedy.

TO-DAY AT WORLD.

Laura La Plante, the delightful comedienne, returns to the screen at the World Theatre to-day in "Home James," a new Universal comedy.

"Home James" is one of the blonde dimpled star's most entertaining pictures. There are many moments in which she displays a genius for projecting her comedy upon the screen.

As Laura Elliot she gives her step-mother and step-sister the air and goes to the big city. The boss son saves her from a man, but because he is sitting in the driver's seat of the boss' car she thinks him the chauffeur.

She falls in love with him and he with her. There are many funny incidents until the truth is told.

## ARTISTIC FILM.

D. W. Griffith's Superb Production.

"LADY OF THE PAVEMENTS."

D. W. Griffith has chosen the romance of the low and the high born as the theme for his latest picture "Lady of the Pavements," which comes to the World Theatre on Thursday. The principal players in the production are William Boyd, Jotta Goudal, Lupe Velez, George Fawcett, Albert Conti and William Bakewell. Karl Volmoller, author of "The Miracle," Max Reinhardt's internationally known stage play, wrote the story especially for the screen. Sam Taylor, director of Harold Lloyd's biggest pictures, wrote the continuity.

The maker of "Intolerance," "Broken Blossoms" and "The Birth of a Nation" has in this production, it is said, set himself a new standard of pictorial excellence, beauty and spectacle with the combination of mass effects and artistic backgrounds through the medium of which he brings to life the glamour and pageantry of one of the most famous of all European courts—the court of Napoleon the Third, the locale of the story.

The riot and splendour of these scenes are contrasted with the bizarre haunts and strange fascinations of the notorious Parisian underworld, the setting in which the early sequences of the pictures are laid.

"Lady of the Pavements" is one of the most daring stories to come under Griffith's direction during his twenty years of motion picture production. Rejected by her nobleman lover because of her infidelity, a scheming woman lays plans for a disgraceful revenge. From the cafes of the underworld she gets a fascinating girl whom she schools in the ways of her art. She then contrives to have the man marry the girl and at the wedding feast makes a scathing denouncement.

Contrary to the usual procedure in handling such subjects, Griffith, advance reports state, has created the story in an altogether modern and light vein, achieving his effects rather by contrasts than sombre realism.

## LON CHANEY.

Starred in Thrilling Mystery Romance.

"THE BIG CITY."

A glimpse into the underworld of New York is afforded in a graphic and enthralling play in Lon Chaney's latest contribution to the screen, "The Big City," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's thrilling mystery romance of night life, which comes to the Star Theatre on Tuesday.

Chaney again gives a masterful demonstration of his many-sided versatility. In his new vehicle he plays the part of a New York gangster leader of modern times, in a compelling characterization.

The story, essentially a love story, teams with thrills and abounds in mystery. Chaney and his gang, in conflict with a rival gang; a sensational holdup of a popular night club, battles with the police and duels of wits with the detectives; these are all breathlessly exciting backgrounds for a charming love idyll of a boy and a girl—parts played by pretty Marceline Day, who was never more charmingly than as the little shopgirl in the play, and James Murray.

Mathew Betz as the rival gangster and Virginia Pearson as the night club hostess are ideally cast, as are Lew Short and Walter Percival, the detectives, and John George, as the "Arab." Alfred Allen gives a finished performance as the police chief. Among the spectacular details are the beauty ballet in the night club, a colourful spectacle.

## SPECTACULAR FILM.

Stars at Jolson as "The Jazz Singer."

When "The Jazz Singer," which Warner Bros. will present at the Star Theatre next Thursday with Al Jolson in the principal role, was being filmed, certain of the spectacular features included a picture of both the interior and exterior of the Winter Garden, where Mr. Jolson had achieved his great successes in musical comedy. It became necessary to obtain cordons of police to keep the great crowds in order that had assembled.

At another time when Orchard Street, located in the very heart of the New York Ghetto, was being photographed, the director of "The Jazz Singer" Alan Grosland, with the camera men, was concealed within a canvas-topped truck. Holes were cut in the sides and the end of the canvas through which the scenes in this famous locality were photographed. If the people who surged in solid masses had known they were being snapped a riot would have been the result.

A period of four months was required for the actual making of "The Jazz Singer." May McAvoy, "The Jazz Singer," May McAvoy, the dainty and winsome star of the screen, was the unanimous choice for the part of Mary Dale, the tiny toe-dancer in the play, whose love and devotion were instrumental in helping Jack Robin, the Jazz singer, to achieve his success and bring happiness to both of them.

Warner Oland is cast as Capter Rabinowitz; Eugenio Bessner is the mother, and Betty Gorden, who has been seen in pictures as the inimitable Panrod, plays the part of the boy singer who ran away from home to do the thing he knew he could do best.



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How many years must a comedian serve his stage apprenticeship before he gets his chance in the much bigger world of the all-talking screen?

In the old days of silent pictures it didn't take many years of the preliminaries to groom a funny man for his transition to the screen. But now that the silversheet has found its voice, it would seem that ageing on the boards, as it were, is more of a requirement than formerly. Here is the test—try and name one successful talking screen character comedian who has not had his baptism in the five-a-day, the big time or the legitimate.

As examples, of stage actors who have made their names in the new show world of audible celluloid we have James Gleason, Charles Ruggles, Harry Green, Maurice Chevalier, Chester Conklin, Eugene Pallette, Charles Sellon, Guy Oliver and hosts of others.

And now comes the most recent examples—Jimmy Durante, of that irrepressibly funny team, Clayton, Jackson and Durante. These three favourites of Broadway's night club devotees have been putting over their stuff in a big way for seven years. Now they are featured as the central comedy characters in Paramount's all-talking and part-singing smash riot "Roadhouse Nights." Jimmy Durante is the head man in the troupe.

Just how good these droll "sap" comics are will be clearly demonstrated in this theatre today. Just how they escaped becoming the comedy thrill of the nation via the talking screen until the present time is one of those inscrutable laws of the realm of show business. But they have arrived now—and it will be a long while before any other trio displaces them as the three funniest panic-starters in the film world.

### COOPER, ARLEN, MARY BRIAN JOINED FIRST TIME IN FILM.

"The Virginian," which comes to the Central Theatre next week, brings together for the first time three of Hollywood's most popular young screen players. They are Gary Cooper, Richard Arlen, and Mary Brian. All three have been under contract to Paramount since the beginning of their film careers.

Cooper has never been in the same picture with Miss Brian although they have been working on adjoining lots for four years. Cooper and Arlen were both in "Wings," Paramount's epic of the air. This picture started them on their way to success with Charles "Buddy" Rogers. They have not appeared in the same picture since.

Arlen and Miss Brian played together in "The Man I Love" and "Under the Tonto Rim."

"The Virginian," however, will bring the three into the same picture for the first time.

Arlen was the first of the trio to reach Hollywood, and the first to be placed under contract to Paramount. He came to Los Angeles in 1921 to seek his fortune in the oil fields. He turned to pictures instead and late in 1922 had progressed to such a point that he was signed to a contract as a Paramount player.

Miss Brian arrived in the film city in the summer of 1924, a high school girl with screen ambitions. Her mother expected her to continue her art studies in Los Angeles school but did not discourage her motion picture aspirations. Without a day of extra work or apprenticeship in small parts, the little newcomer from Dallas, Texas, stepped into the featured role of "Wendy" in Paramount's "Peter Pan."

Cooper arrived in Los Angeles on Thanksgiving Day of 1921. He wanted to be a newspaper cartoonist. He found extra work in the films much easier to obtain than cartooning jobs with the newspapers. After some months of extra work he was cast for the part of Abe Lee in "The Winning of Barbara Worth."

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A spectacular outdoors action scene in which 300 head of belting cattle swim across the swirling current of the Stanislaus River in California is one of the big features of "The Virginian," which comes to the Central Theatre the latter half of next week.

The crossing was made at Byrne's Ferry, twenty miles from Sonoma, mining town in California's "Mother Lode." Seven cameras and a battery of microphones recorded the action and sound.

When the mechanical and electrical equipment had been installed at vantage points along the river bank, a group of cowboys, responding to a signal from Victor Fleming, the director, stampeded the protesting cattle into the swift stream. The swift current carried most of the calves and the mounted riders 200 yards downstream before the objective was reached.

All the sounds of this stirring tumult were recorded precisely by the sound laboratories set up some 300 yards back from the "mikes."

"The Virginian" is the first outdoors classic in sound and dialogue. Gary Cooper is cast in the title role, his first full-dialogue part. Walter Huston featured lead of "Gentlemen of the Press," is seen and heard as Trampas, the villain. Richard Arlen is Steve, the wayward cowboy-muncher, and Mary Brian is Molly Wood, the winsome school-marm.

"The Virginian," a novel of the 80s, gained quick fame as the greatest American novel ever published and to this day it is held to be one of the great classics of literature. It brought universal renown to its author, Owen Wister. A few years later Wister and Kirk La Shelle transcribed the book into a play of the same name. The play became as famous as the novel. Dustin Farnum created the role of the Virginian on the stage and since that time other actors have achieved correspondingly widespread fame in the same role.

### VICTOR FLEMING IS DIRECTOR OF FIRST ALL-TALKING CLASSIC.

As befits the greatest outdoor spectacle classic of film history, Victor Fleming, a genius in that field of motion picture production, was chosen as the man to direct "The Virginian," which comes to the Central Theatre next week.

Fleming is remembered as the director of "Abe's Irish Rose," "The Way of All Flesh," "Wolf Song," and many outdoor scenes.

Gary Cooper, the handsome, rangy youth from the Montana ranches whose climb to the heights of film success has been both rapid and sensational, will be seen and heard in the title role. It is his first full-dialogue part. Walter Huston, veteran of the Broadway stage and remembered for his all-talking film roles in "Gentlemen of the Press" and "The Lady Lies," will be Trampas, the villain of the play. Richard Arlen and Mary Brian have leading supporting roles.

"The Virginian" is based on the novel by the same name written by Owen Wister in the 80s and known to this day, as one of the greatest of America's literary classics. Wister and Kirk La Shelle then transcribed the novel into a play which later became one of the enduring favourites of the American and European stages. The part of the Virginian, the hero-role in the play, was established by Dustin Farnum in New York years ago. Since then many other prominent actors have appeared in the same role with great success.

The medium of the all-talking screen brings the famous classic to millions of show-goers in a new and more realistic dressing. Under the direction of Fleming the picture was filmed and "miked" in the great outdoors of California's cattle range country in Sonoma county. All the gripping sounds, all the spectacular scenery, will be brought together in a realistic plot fabric, rich in comedy-dialogue, action, cowboy-singing and high romance when "The Virginian" shows at the Central Theatre.

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"Who Murdered the Canary?" Was it Mannix, the fat broker who loved The Canary until she threatened to show his letters to his wife? Was it Spotsygoode who feared for his son in the grasp of the scheming woman? Was it Lindquist, the half-insane doctor, mad with love of her? Was it Cleaver whose political career she menaced?

"It's none of them!" says Heath, the detective, and he arrests Alys La-Fosse of the Canary chorus and her sweetheart, Jimmy Spotswoode, son of Vance's best friend. Alys lived next door to The Canary and Jimmy had quarrelled with Alys and let himself into The Canary's power.

"It's one of them!" says Heath, "and another man was locked in the closet and saw the murder. Find him and he'll tell you who the murderer is!"

But only the body of the eye-witness is found—he, too, has been strangled! With the case thus complicated, Vance works to save his friend's son. For the rest of this thriller you must come to the Central Theatre, where it will be showing soon.

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### "A RENO DIVORCE."

At the Majestic To-day.

May McAvoy is to-day appearing here in "A Reno Divorce," in which she plays the part of a reckless society girl—devotee of all that makes life thrilling. Gaming she loves, and speeding, and it is the latter which changes the whole course of her life. Her wildly-driven car captures a youth who is quite the man of her dreams, but menace comes through the agency of a divorced couple, a drunken chauffeur, and innumerable other exciting and amusing things. The story was written by Ralph Graves who directed the production and play the romantic lead and the cast includes Hedda Hopper, Robert Ober, Anders Randolph, Wm. Demarest and Edwards Davis. May McAvoy in Warner Bros. "A Reno Divorce" comes to the Majestic Theatre to-day for a run of three days.

#### WOMEN IN THE UNDERWORLD

Women of the underworld come in for their share of attention in Clara Bow's new starring picture for Paramount, "Ladies of the Mob," which will show at the Majestic Theatre on Wednesday. The story deals with the wives and sweethearts of gunmen, and the star plays a heavy role in which she strives to keep Richard Arlen out of the clutches of the law.

### DARING COMEDY.

Drama Starring May McAvoy.

Reno, with the razzle-dazzle of restless, thrill-seeking lives, speeding cars, spinning wheels of chance, love, hate, plot and counterplot, romance, fun, fancy—this is the stuff out of which Ralph Graves built his story—"A Reno Divorce." It was a keen understanding of life, not only life of the Twentieth Century, that guided Ralph Graves when he directed the production and it was a number of personal qualities that made it possible for him to so effectively play the romantic lead in support of twinkling May McAvoy, until recently queen of the free lancers, but now a Warner Bros. star.

May McAvoy, in "A Reno Divorce," plays the part of a reckless society girl whose hurtling roadster captures a down-and-out young artist. May gets him back to her home, nurses him well and then, when Cupid is having the time of his life—enter the Frances, newly divorced—to undermine all that he has done. "A Reno Divorce" is ultra-modern swift and exciting, with the proper dash of humour and it is very true to life. In the cast are Hedda Hopper, Robert Ober, Wm. Demarest, Anders Randolph and Edwards Davis.

May McAvoy in "A Reno Divorce," a Warner Bros. production comes to the Majestic Theatre to-day for a run of three days.

### CHILD ACTRESS.

Assigned to Clara Bow's Picture.

Lorraine Rivero, child actress of the screen, was signed for a role in support of Clara Bow in the Paramount star's new production, "Ladies of the Mob," a story of the underworld which will show at the Majestic Theatre on Wednesday.

Little Lorraine plays the part of Miss Bow as a child in the prologue sequence.

"Ladies of the Mob" was directed by William Wellman, the man who directed "Wings." Opposite the star is Richard Arlen, also noted for his fine performance in the aviation epic.

#### MAY McAVOY.

May McAvoy, star of "A Reno Divorce," the Ralph Graves production for Warner Brothers, at the Majestic Theatre to-day was born and educated in New York City and turned screenward at an early age. She made her film debut for Goldwyn at Fort Lee in "A Perfect Lady," and numbers among her screen successes such notable productions as "Lady Windermere's Fan," "Three Women," "Grumpy," "Only 28," "Clarence," "Kick In," "Sentimental Tommy," "The Enchanted Cottage," "Ben Hur," "The Passionate Quest," "Matinee Ladies," "Irish Hearts," and "Slightly Used" in which she co-starred with Conrad Nagel. Although her stature of four feet and eleven inches might have warranted her success in flapper roles, it is in more pretentious characterizations that Miss McAvoy has won her popularity.

### POLICE OFFICIAL.

Talks on "Ladies of the Mob."

Because the title of Clara Bow's latest starring production is perhaps not quite clear to the general public, Paramount executives obtained a statement from a Los Angeles police official explaining the term, "Ladies of the Mob."

"In the language of the underworld," says the official, "Ladies of the Mob" refers to the sweethearts or, perhaps, the wives of the gangsters who know what their sweethearts or husbands are doing but who usually play little or no part in their actual crime careers.

"Usually, the 'ladies of the mob' have a great deal of information about what the men are doing and in rare cases, assist in forming the plans.

"Their code, however, prevents them from 'squealing' unless double-crossed and they always stick to one man until he is sent to the penitentiary or is killed. Then their obligations end."

In "Ladies of the Mob," which will show at Majestic Theatre on Wednesday, Miss Bow has the role of a wife who attempts to keep her gangster lover straight. It is one of the heaviest roles she has had for some time.

Richard Arlen plays opposite the star in the production.

#### HELEN LYNCH.

Helen Lynch, who scored a success in support of George Bancroft in "The Showdown," was added to the cast of "Ladies of the Mob." Clara Bow's new starring vehicle for Paramount, "Ladies of the Mob" will show at the Majestic Theatre from Wednesday to Saturday.

### "GOOD CROOK."

Wins Role in New Clara Bow Story.

Roscoe Karns now knows he is a "good crook."

He played his part so well as the crooked dummy in Esther Halston's "Something Always Happens," Paramount signed him for the role of Joe in "Ladies of the Mob," which is coming to the Majestic Theatre on Wednesday for three days.

Karns played the grand vizier in "Beau Sabreur," and had important parts in "Pigskin," "The Symphony" and the Ralston production.

"He came into the movies after considerable work on the stage and appeared in stock companies throughout the United States.

"Ladies of the Mob" is an underworld story directed by William Wellman, of "Wings" fame.

#### HEDDA HOPPER.

Hedda Hopper, appearing in support of May McAvoy in Warner Bros. "A Reno Divorce" at the Majestic Theatre to-day, was born in Altoona, Pa., and is a graduate of Carter Conservatory of Music, Pittsburgh. She was successful on the stage and in musical comedy before coming into pictures, which was in 1910, when she played lead opposite William Farnum in "The Battle of Hearts." She was featured in "Mona Lisa," "Technicolor," and had prominent parts in "Virtuous Wives," "Children of Divorce," "The Snob," and "Don Juan." She was formerly the wife of De Wolf Hopper. She is a devotee of outdoor sports, especially riding.

### SEA STORIES.

#### "First Kiss" Starts the Vogue.

The present cycle of motion picture production will have sea backgrounds, according to a survey recently made among several film producers. Paramount, always keen to give the public what it wants, and when it is wanted, has just completed filming "The First Kiss," co-starring Fay Wray and Gary Cooper. The picture opens shortly at the Majestic Theatre.

"The First Kiss" is adapted from the story, "Four Brothers" from the pen of Trietram Tupper. It has a sea background, the locale being the oyster fishing grounds in Chesapeake Bay. Incidentally, the entire picture was taken at the exact locale called for in the original story, it being St. Michaels, Maryland, and adjacent territory.

The public has just undergone an extreme taste for underworld and aviation stories. As in the present case, Paramount was first to realize this, and contributed may fine achievements to the screen along these lines. "Wings," "The Legion of the Condemned," "Underworld" and "The Drag Net" are fitting examples of this company's timeliness with giving the public what it wants.

Now sea stories or stories with a sea background are in extreme favour with the public. This fact was brought to light by Paramount's own system of determining what the motion picture fans want to see. Hence "The First Kiss" was filmed and there are at least five motion pictures, in which the sea is the base of the stories, in preparation or actually now in production.

The two popular screen lovers, Fay Wray and Gary Cooper, have an excellent supporting cast in their

### GAMES OF CHANCE.

#### May McAvoy in "A Reno Divorce."

"A Reno Divorce" is the Warner Bros. attraction starring May McAvoy at the Majestic Theatre to-day. The production is a brilliant comedy-drama which has the unique distinction of having been written and directed by Ralph Graves, who also plays lead. The story was scenarised by Lord and the cast includes Hedda Hopper, Robert Ober, Anders Randolph, William Demarest and Edwards Davis.

May McAvoy plays the part of a charming but reckless society girl, who is possessed of the not uncommon desire to outpace the speediest. This latter tendency causes her to knock down a young artist, whom she at once picks up, conveys to her home, and nurses, with the usual felicitous results. The arrival of the Frances, a newly-divorced couple, complicates matters and introduces the menace. Frances tries to win Carla through her fondness for games of chance, while the former Mrs. Frances angles for the stranger. The story is powerfully motivated and sweeps up to an astonishing climax. May McAvoy, who has won an enviable reputation in such plays as "Lady Windermere's Fan," "Sentimental Tommy," "The Enchanted Lady," "Matinee Ladies," "The Passionate Quest" and "Irish Hearts" adds materially to her fame in "A Reno Divorce." Don't fail to see it.

First co-starring picture. Heading this list are Lane Chandler, Leslie Fenton, and Paul Fix. It was directed by Howard V. Lee, who is noted for his directing of Pola Negri successes.

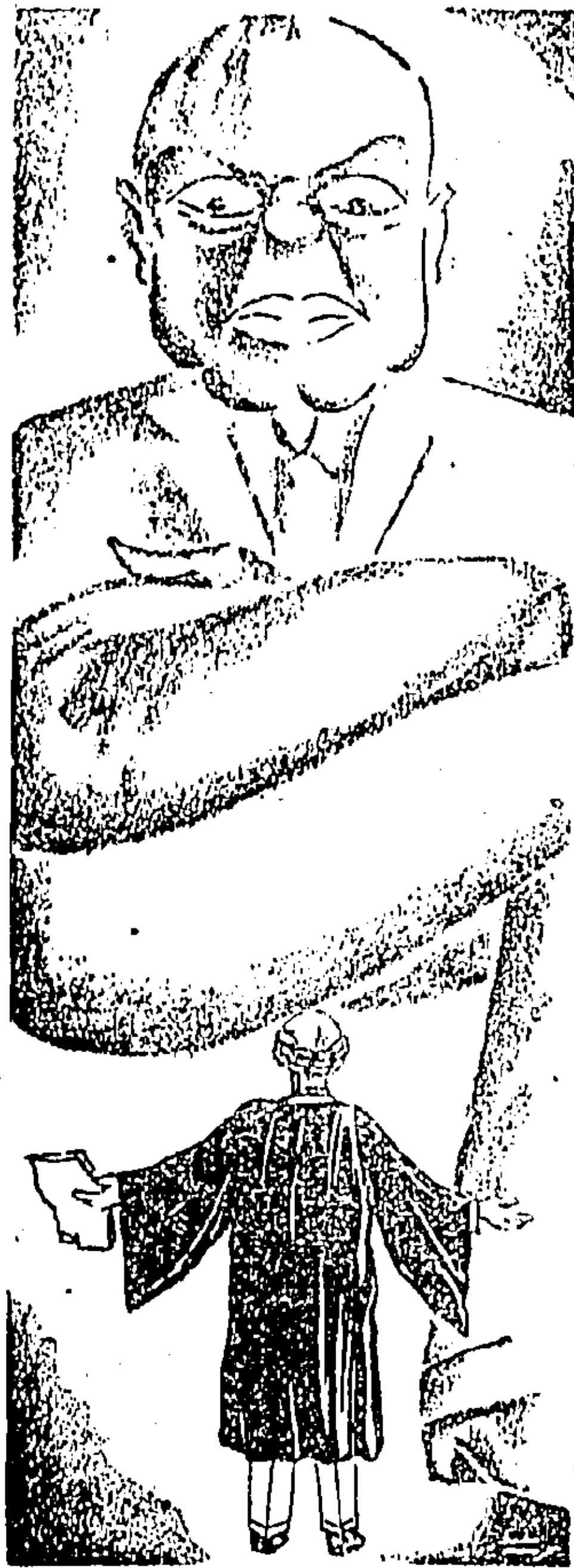




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### POLICE RADIO TRAPS

#### Criminals at Work.

Detroit police arrested 157 dangerous criminals during January in an average of less than two minutes for each arrest from the time alarms were sent out. And January was just an ordinary month.

Radio and speedy, radio-equipped police cars did the trick. The police radio broadcasting station on Belle Isle, in the Detroit river, the first of its kind in the world, receives the emergency calls and immediately "puts them on the air" for all the police cars to pick up. They rush to the scene, often in time to catch the criminals while still at work or, on occasion, in time to prevent actual hold-ups.

The Detroit police fleet consists of twenty-seven Fords and five Lincolns. The cars are on the streets twenty-four hours a day and their sealed receiving sets always are tuned in on the low-wave length assigned to the city broadcasting station.

Once, one of the cars was at the scene of a gang execution within 60 seconds. In time to rescue a man who had been thrown into the Detroit river. At another time, a witness to a coal yard hold-up phoned the police and a few seconds after he had hung up saw a police cruiser dash up and capture the bandits.

Scores of second story men, sneak thieves and footpads have been caught in the net of robbery because some witness notified police in time.

During 1929, the average run from the time of receipt of the emergency call until the arrest was a little less than three minutes. This year, department estimates the time will be cut to two minutes. And if the administration furnishes an additional forty Fords requested the time may cut to a matter of two seconds.

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The cars handle an enormous number of calls. During January the police broadcast 3,014 messages. Of that number 1264 were emergency calls and the rest routine reports of stolen cars, description of criminals wanted and the like.

### CHAIN OF PLANTS.

#### Ford's New Assembly Branch.

Another link in its chain of plants that are accessible to both water and rail transportation was welded by the Ford Motor Company when it opened a new assembly branch in Long Beach, California. The new plant, according to officials of the company was built to take care of the increasing demand of 400 cars a day, compared with 225



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A British-made motor-car arrived in London in mail week on the completion of a 6,000 miles journey from Lahore, in the Punjab. It looked very little the worse for its journey across mountains, plains and deserts. At the wheel was Mr. J. A. R. Bromage, of the Indian Government Engineering Service, and with him were Mr. S. G. Stubbs, a road engineer, and Mir Mohammed, Mr. Bromage's Indian chauffeur.

"The journey was made following a half a crown wager with a fellow-clubman in Lahore some months ago," said Mr. Bromage. "The journey took 73 days, 41 of which were running days and the remainder resting days. Throughout the journey we had only two punctures, one being caused by a sandal nail in the Syrian Desert and the other through a cut from a horse-shoe." On leaving Lahore they passed through Baluchistan, crossed the Persian Desert to Teheran, thence through Iraq to Syria. It was intended to pass through Turkey, but owing to the loss of documents and permits this was impossible, so from Syria the journey had to be continued by steamer to Greece. From the Balkans they passed through Austria and Germany to Calais. One of the special problems was that of petrol and water supplies in the Persian and Iraqi deserts. "The journey in some places was so rough that 10 miles only were covered in a day," Mr. Bromage said. "For 1,000 miles there were no roads at all, and for that distance we drove in second or bottom gear."

### LUXURIOUS CAR.

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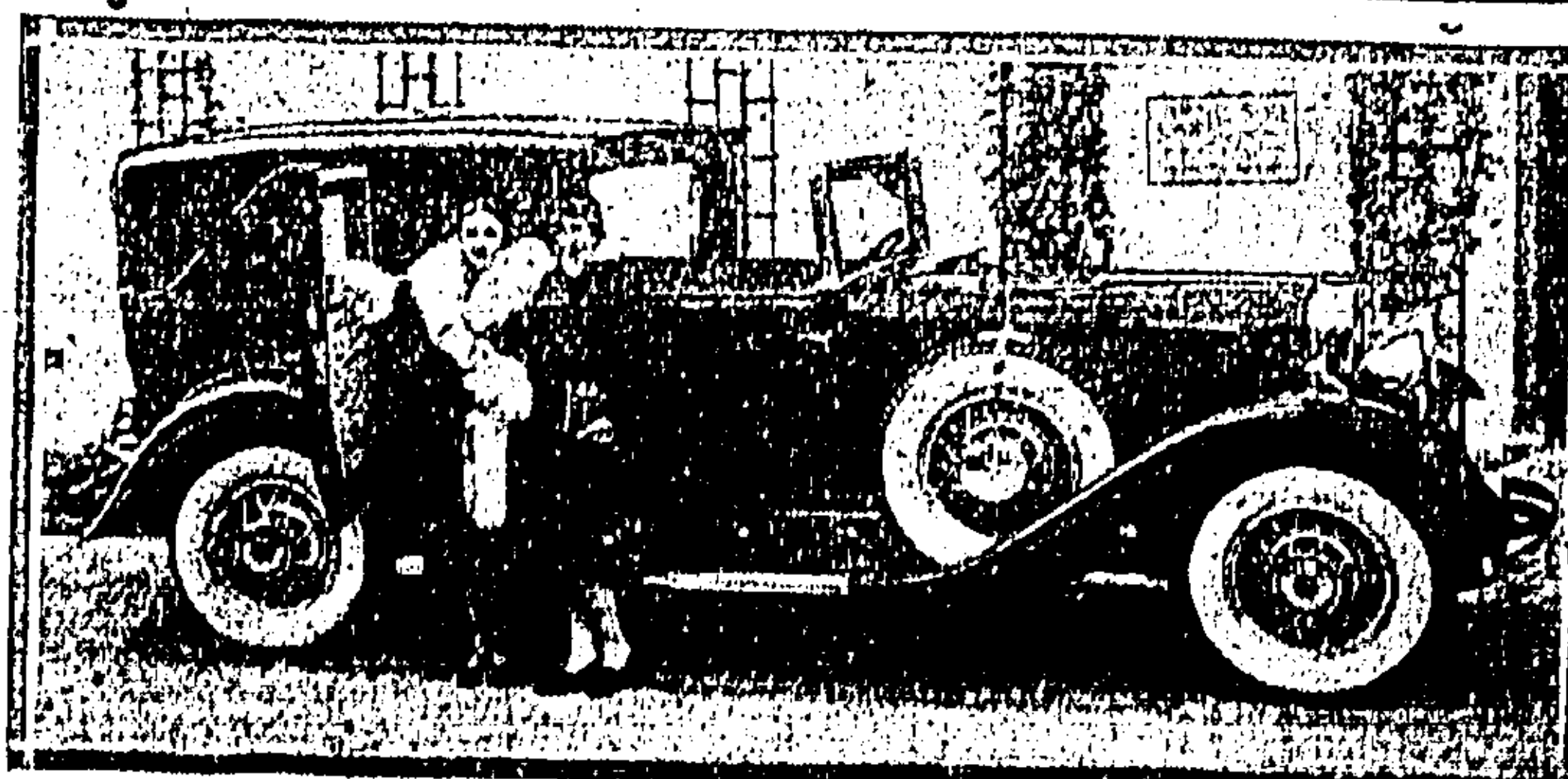
The development of the Willys-Knight Great Six line has not been confined merely to advanced style and beauty of lines, but its six-cylinder sleeve valve engine also is marked by a perfection which is outstanding among engines of its size. Developing 82 horsepower, the new Willys-Knight Great Six power plant is the most powerful ever designed by Willys-Overland.

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No detail has been overlooked to provide the Willys-Knight with every convenience for the driver. The curved gear shift lever has been replaced by a straight one, which, combined with an improvement in the gear shifting mechanism, has resulted in shortening the distance necessary for the hand to travel in changing gears.

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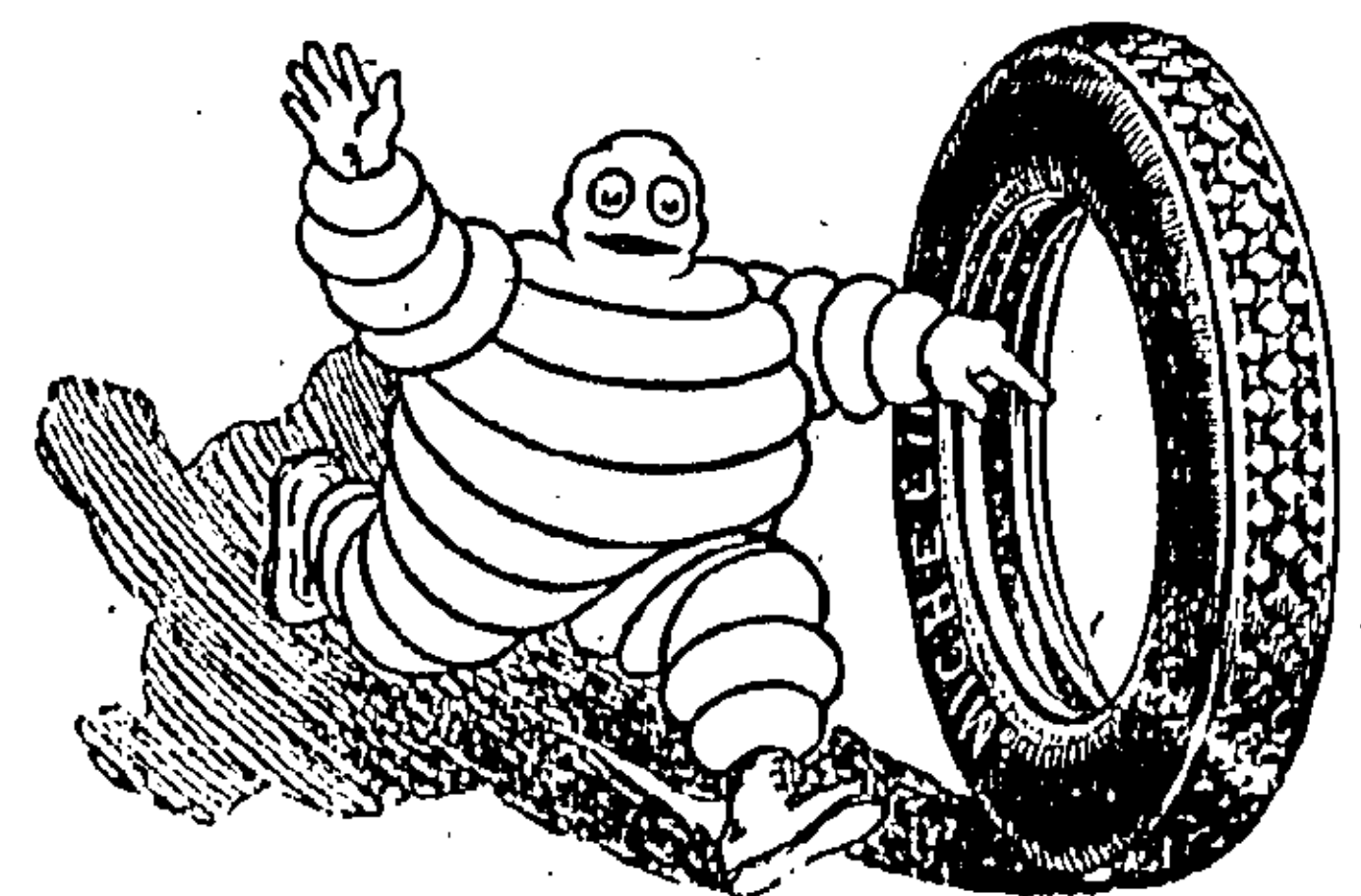
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## THE POLICE POWERS.

Motorists Will Have to Tell.

Allegations that the police are to be given inquisitorial powers by which they can subject motorists to "third degree" methods were brought by supporters of amendments to the Road Traffic Bill, which was again before a committee of the House of Commons on May 20.

Part of the Bill declares that "where the driver of a vehicle is alleged to be guilty of an offence under this Act" the owner shall supply such information as he may be required by the police to give as to the identity of the driver; and "any other person shall, if required, give any information which it is in his power to give and which may lead to the identification of the driver."

Failure to give the information constitutes an offence, with a fine up to £20 the first time and up to £50 subsequently.

**Basis of the Law.**  
Colonel Wilfrid Ashley, formerly Minister of Transport, urged that these provisions should be struck out on the ground that their application would strike at the whole basis of English law, and deprive motorists of the means of safeguarding themselves which are allowed to persons charged with grave crimes.

He suggested that it was a reversal of the principle that a man is innocent until he is proved guilty. "The great principle of English law," he added, "is that a person is not obliged to give evidence against himself, but under this Bill a motorist will be deprived of this right."

Mr. Herbert Morrison, the Minister of Transport, contended that the power proposed was necessary.

**Identity of Vehicles.**  
"There is great difficulty at times," he said, "in procuring the identity of cars or vehicles which cause serious accidents, and we ought not to add to them by shielding the owner, when the identity of the car has been ascertained, who refuses to disclose the identity of the driver."

Mr. Turtton, Sir Gervais Rentoul, and other Conservatives urged the excision of the provisions, while Major Glyn and Colonel Acland-Troyte thought that balance of argument was for retention.

Mr. March, a Socialist, said that the arguments on the other side seemed to be based on the fear that owner-drivers would have to admit that they were driving. "My experience," he added, "is that more accidents are caused by owner-drivers than by persons engaged as drivers, and we ought not to be concerned to protect one class more than the other."

The proposal to delete the clause was defeated by 18 to 11.

## BRITISH MOTORS.

Export Increase and Import Decrease.

In spite of the decrease of just over a thousand in the number of new motor vehicles registered during last December as revealed in the Ministry of Transport's latest returns, the production of British cars and commercial vehicles has increased to well over a quarter of a million, according to the 1929 estimates of the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders.

One reason for this is the big advance in British motor exports, for during 1929 Britain's exports went up by more than £1,100,000, while imports decreased by £395,423. Although there was a slightly smaller number of new registrations at the end of the year therefore, the decrease represents a falling-off in the sales of foreign cars and there has actually been an increase in British car sales.

Another reason for the fewer number of cars bought in December is that the severity of last winter caused many prospective motor owners, anticipating similar conditions this year, to postpone buying their cars until the spring.

The total number of motor vehicles in the country is about a million-and-a-half compared with 1,307,000 in 1928, so that while there may be fluctuations in the increase from time to time the numbers are steadily growing.

It is estimated that the motor industry employs directly about 270,000 people. The export trade is improving steadily, the figures for 1929 showing an increase of 30 per cent. over those for 1928.

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# MOTOR NEWS

From Road & Showroom.

**Motor-Cycles in Japan.**  
Japan imported 2,968 motor-cycles in 1929 and half of them came from the United States.

**British Favoured.**  
Wanganui (New Zealand) City Council, whose fleet of motor-vehicles needs replacing, has decided to purchase only British cars and trucks.

**Becoming A Habit.**  
A motorist was summoned at Feltham recently for a motoring offence, and wrote to the court apologising for his non-attendance as follows: "I apologise for not coming to court, but I have had so many of these summonses lately."

**The Right Idea.**  
According to the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce in New York, the revenue from the tax on cars, petrol and tyres in Sweden is to be used entirely for schemes connected with the improvement and maintenance of the roads in that country.

**Carnera Takes to Motor-Cycling.**  
Primo Carnera, the giant Italian boxer, has often stated that he cannot find a car which gives him sufficient head-room. Perhaps it is on this account that he has taken to motor-cycling, for he has recently been seen on an O.H.V. Ariel.

**Craze For Speed.**  
"What is the use of having a car like this, if I cannot go about a hundred miles an hour?" was a statement attributed to Ronald Gustava Barawitzka, aged seventeen, who was fined £20 at Newcastle for driving a two-seater motor-car at a speed estimated at fifty miles an hour on the Great North road.

**Exhaust Fumes Death.**  
George Scott, aged 50, proprietor of a number of confectionery and tobacconist shops on the Tees-side, has been found dead in his garage, behind his house, at Stockton-on-Tees. The engine of his motor-car was running, and it is thought that he was overcome by the exhaust fumes. The garage doors were closed.

**Morris Engines for Motor Boats.**  
Although introduced only comparatively recently, the six-cylinder Morris "Commodore," marine engine bids fair to achieve a popularity on the water commensurate with its name. The Yachting World contains an interesting account of a thirty-foot day cruiser now being built by J. R. H. Knight, of Parkstone, to the order of Merlyn Motors, of Bristol; motorists who are also motor boat enthusiasts must be interested in this development.

**Fast Motor Launch.**  
The 35-ft. Fast Cabin Day Launch "Diana" mentioned in the last issue of the British Motor Boating Bulletin, is now completed and has been launched at the boat building yards of Messrs. J. W. Brooke & Co., Ltd. It is understood that the boat is shortly leaving the Yard and will in all probability be proceeding to the Mediterranean under her own power through the French Canals to the Riviera, where it will be used chiefly for the purpose of sun bathing and surf riding.

**Attempt to Minimise Skidding.**  
It is understood that the Minister of Transport has notified county road engineers that no new smooth surface road scheme will in future be given financial aid from the Road Fund. This decision is thought to be almost directly due to the stability of the cars that took part in the last Ulster Tourist Trophy, when the roads were wet in some places and dry in others. The surface of the course was specially treated to minimise skidding, and the results were so successful that full details were obtained and brought to the notice of the Ministry.

**If You Want To Know.**  
A story that I like, was told me by a fellow-motorist, writes a contributor in a Home paper. "The other day I had to wait at a garage at a busy corner in Hampshire while a small repair was being done to my car. Outside stood a constable."

"I stepped out and asked him how many questions he had to answer in a day, and he said that, in such a place, one a minute would be a moderate estimate. What, I inquired, was the most curious question he remembered? 'I don't know,' he said, 'but one I had would be hard to beat. A lady in a car pulled up suddenly, holding up a long stream of traffic, and asked me where she could get some salmon mayonnaise! I just wave her on.' And he chuckled."

## Trials of Motor Tractors.

The Department of Overseas Trade has received from the Danish State Implement Committee, copies of a circular regarding trials of motor tractors to be held in Denmark in the course of the Summer and Autumn of this year. Interested British firms can obtain further particulars on application to the Department, at 35, Old Queen Street, London, S.W.1. quoting Reference No. A.X. 9584.

## Record.

With regard to the recent six-hour record established by the Hon. Victor Bruce at Fareham with a 24-ft. "Hydrocar" built by Messrs. J. W. Brooke & Co., Ltd., of Lowestoft, this record has been officially confirmed, viz: the total distance covered throughout the whole six hours non-stop, 174 miles. The one hour record established by Mr. T. Brooke who accompanied Mr. Bruce on this trial, for over 30 m.p.h. has also been confirmed.

## Motor Shipbuilding.

Orders for ships of any class, whether motor or steam, have been practically non-existent during the past month or two. Nevertheless, according to The Motor Ship, there are now 365 oil-engined vessels, totalling 2,300,000 tons gross on order, the figures being slightly higher than those at the beginning of the year.

Since January 1, 82 motor ships have been ordered, but the majority are tankers (as well as a few passenger ships), contracts for cargo carriers being negligible on account of the prevailing depression in freights. Of the 82 vessels, only 29 are being built in British yards. The number of steamers ordered during the same period has been smaller than that of motor ships.

## Division of Labour.

Wife (at busy crossing)—"Now remember, Herbert, the brake is on the left—or is it the right—but don't!"

Henpecked Husband—"For heaven's sake stop chattering. Your job is to smile at the policeman!"

## Motor Boat Exhibition.

As has already been forecast the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders has now at Olympia a section for Motor Boats, Marine Engines and equipment. The rate will be from October 16 to October 25. The Motor Boat Exhibition will be located on the Ground Floor of the Empire Hall.

## Double-Decked Omnibuses.

The Minister of Transport draws attention to The Heavy Motor Car (Amendment) Order, 1930, which came into force on June 1. It has been found by manufacturers of public-service vehicles of the double-deck type, that it is difficult, without reducing seating capacity, to construct a vehicle of gross laden weight not exceeding 9 tons, embodying modern improvements desirable from the standpoint of efficiency and comfort. Such improvements include the fitting of pneumatic tyres, the provision of six-cylinder engines and four-wheel brakes, improved lighting equipment, and heavier and more luxurious upholstery and interior fittings. The new order, which applies only to double-deck vehicles fitted with pneumatic tyres, permits a gross laden weight of 9½ tons, and a maximum individual axle weight of 6 tons. The corresponding weights for single-decked vehicles, or for those not fitted with pneumatic tyres, remains at 9 tons and 5½ tons, respectively. The order does not alter the existing permissible weights for six-wheeled vehicles.

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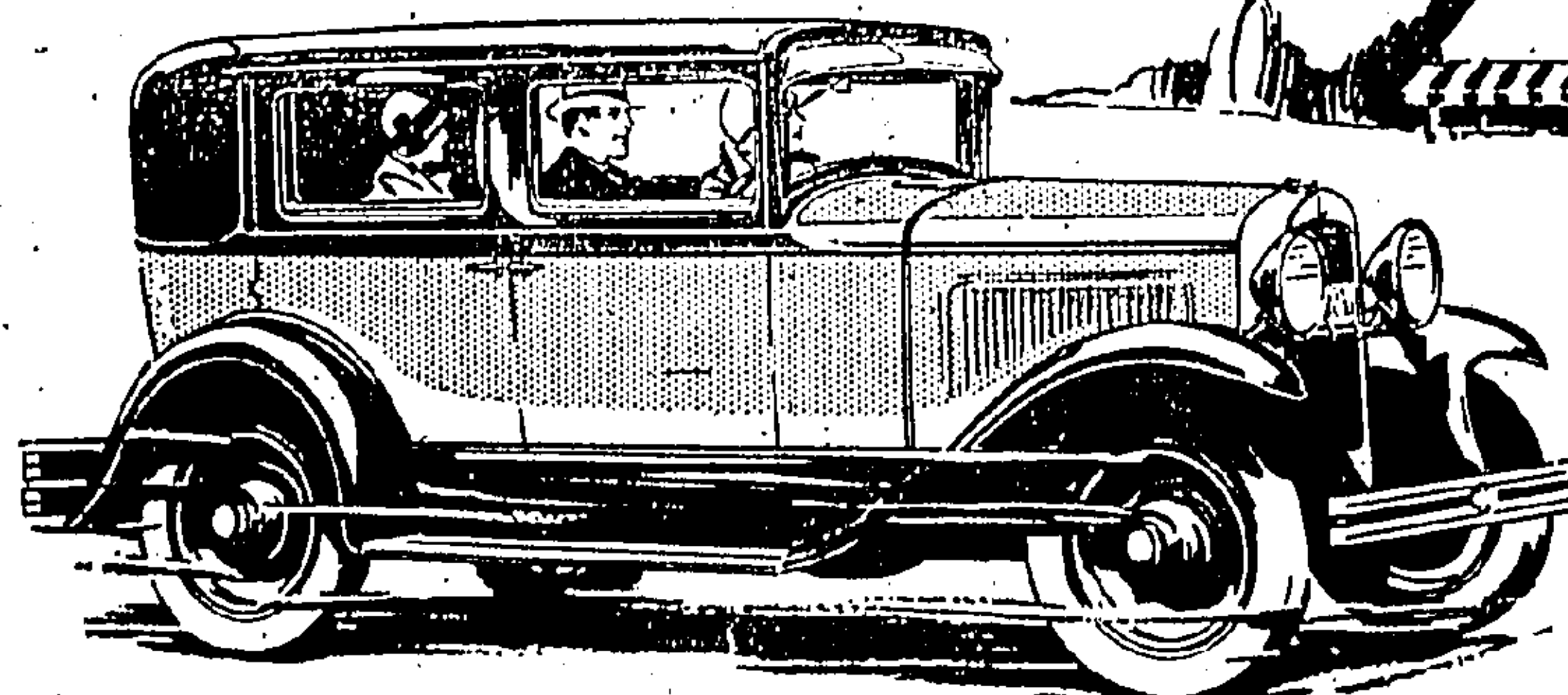
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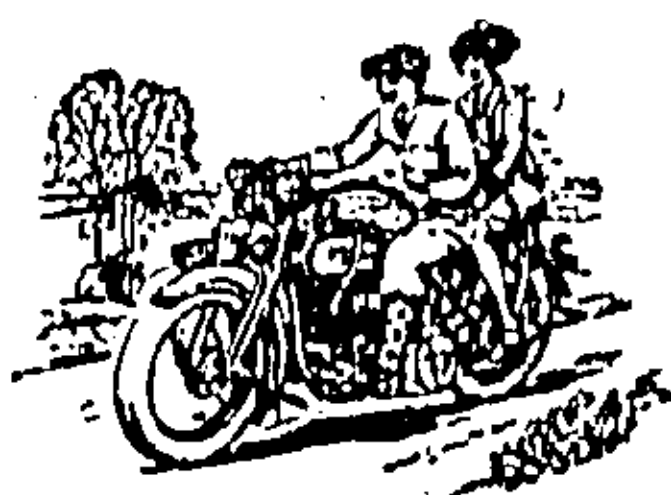
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### UNIQUE BODYWORK.

#### Feature at Italy's Motor Show.

At the Italian motor show at Milan American makers were the most numerous, outnumbering even the representatives of the Italian industry. The only British firms were Austin and Rolls-Royce.

In the body section undoubtedly the greatest novelty was a door having hinges at both ends, and therefore capable of being opened either left or right-handed. The practical advantage of this arrangement is that it allows a very wide single door to be used in place of two doors, either the left or the right-handed hinges being employed according to whether it is desired to enter the rear or the front compartment of the car. A 10.30 h.p. Fiat appeared with a door forty-six inches wide, and an eight-cylinder Lancia was on view with doors hav-

ing the exceptional width of fifty-five inches.

The very wide door gives such an angle that it is only necessary to open it slightly in order to obtain easy access to the seats. It is impossible to operate the two door handles simultaneously, and as soon as either handle is turned the hinges on the opposite side are positively locked. There are double locks at each end, one being at the top and the other at the bottom of the door, and in addition there is a safety catch on the inside. The door can be lifted away from the body in a fraction of a second by pressing on a concealed catch; this catch is uncovered only when the door is open. The door can be replaced in the same way, single-handed, in a few seconds, without the use of any tools or the replacement of nuts or bolts. One of the two pairs of hinges is mounted elastically, thus tending not only to keep it closed, but making it independent of any warping of the rest of the body. In addition to enhancing appearance, the double-hinge door is less expensive to construct than are two separate doors.—The Autocar.

### WASTE OF HEAT.

#### Engine Cooling a Problem.

As the power and speeds of automobiles go up, the matter of proper cooling becomes more and more important. It is far more difficult to properly cool a car that is being driven at forty miles per hour average than it is to cool one that is being driven at twenty-five miles per hour.

Few people realize that one-third of the heat energy contained in a gallon of gasoline consumed in an automobile is thrown away through the radiator. For every dollar's worth of fuel consumed, thirty-three cents worth goes out through the radiator, while perhaps a mere eight cents' worth is used at the rear wheels.

Put this in another way. Four times as much energy passes out through the radiator in the form of heat, as is used at the rear wheels in driving the car. This is a rather sad thing to contemplate in some ways, but it is one of the conditions imposed upon engines which operate on the Otto cycle and this happens to be the cycle, commonly known as the four-cycle, that automobile engines of to-day utilize.

The owner is not able to change this condition in any way, but he can see that it is maintained. The radiator must be clean, the shutters must open at the proper temperature, the water pump must function properly and there must be no leaks in the cooling system, nor slipping of the fan belt. All of these things the owner can watch so that he knows the cooling system of the car is operating as it should.

The manufacturer has to do a great deal more than this. Because of the great increase in power of the automobile motor, he has had to greatly increase the cooling capacity. If a car has a 100-horse-power engine, the heat equivalent of thirty-three horse-power must be thrown off through the cooling system when full power is developed, in order that the engine will operate at the proper temperature to maintain the oil film.

#### Systems Redesigned.

The result of the need for increased cooling capacity has caused a thorough overhauling of cooling systems. On many cars the water pump capacity has been increased to a marked extent. The fan has been redesigned for greater efficiency and radiators have more capacity, both in frontal area and in depth of core.

Because of the great efficiency of the radiating system they are actually too efficient in cool weather, and for that reason it has been necessary to incorporate devices in the system that will retard the cooling effect until the engine really needs the full effect of the cooling system. These devices are in the nature of thermostats, which do not permit the water to circulate through the radiator until a certain temperature has been reached, and shutters which prevent the air from going through the radiator until the engine has become warm.

These devices are not new. They have been with us for years, but they are more highly developed and more extensively used now than ever before. Take the matter of fan design, for instance. In former years any old thing that would cause a current of air to circulate through the radiator was considered good enough. To-day, the fan needs just as much care in its design as any part of the car. There must be no back drafts through the radiator, the fan must not require too much power to drive at high speeds and the volume of air it pulls through the radiator must be sufficient to carry off the heat.

#### Another Development.

After all, it is the air that really cools the motor. The water is merely a vehicle which carries the heat from the engine to the radiator. After it has reached the radiator it is the air that takes it away.

Another development in the fan is the self-lubricating hub bearing. The fan runs steadily at high speed. It is usually carried on a bearing that is lubricated by a self-contained device that picks the oil up from a small reservoir in the hub and carries it to the bearing so that a continuous bath of oil is supplied. As the reservoir and bearing are entirely enclosed, the oil in this hub only requires replacement after many thousands of miles of use. It is safe to say that many of these hubs run the life of the car without attention having been given by the owner to the oil supply.

One attention the owner should give about twice a year is to see that the radiator is flushed out. Two heaped handfuls of common soda to a pail of boiling water makes a good flushing solution that is very effective in dissolving the scale and sediment.

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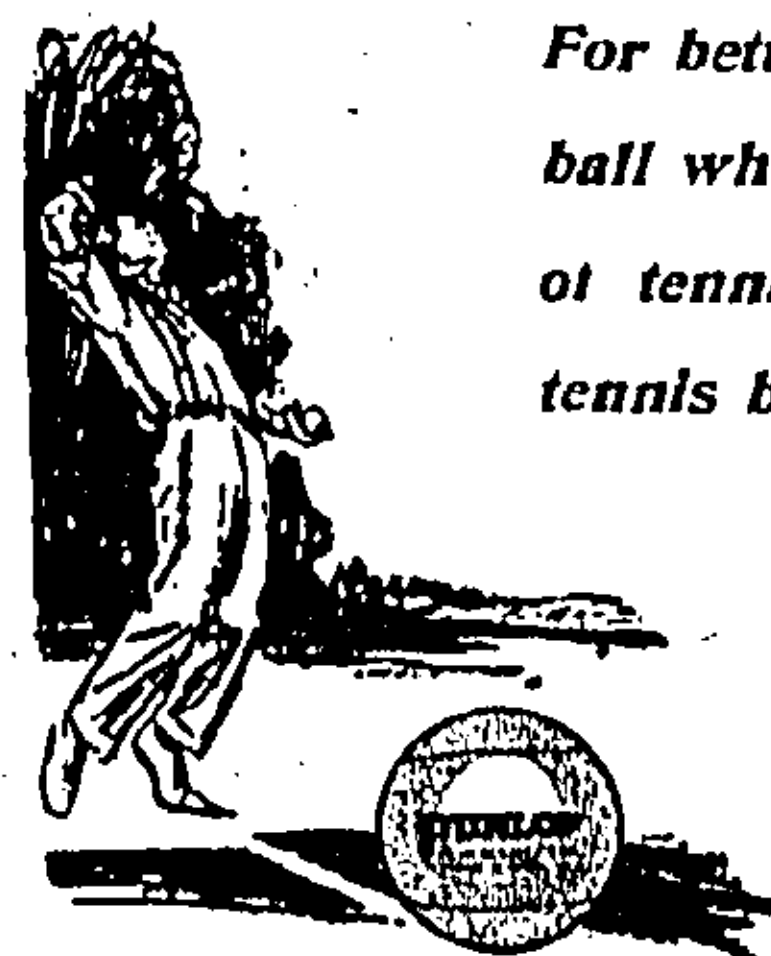
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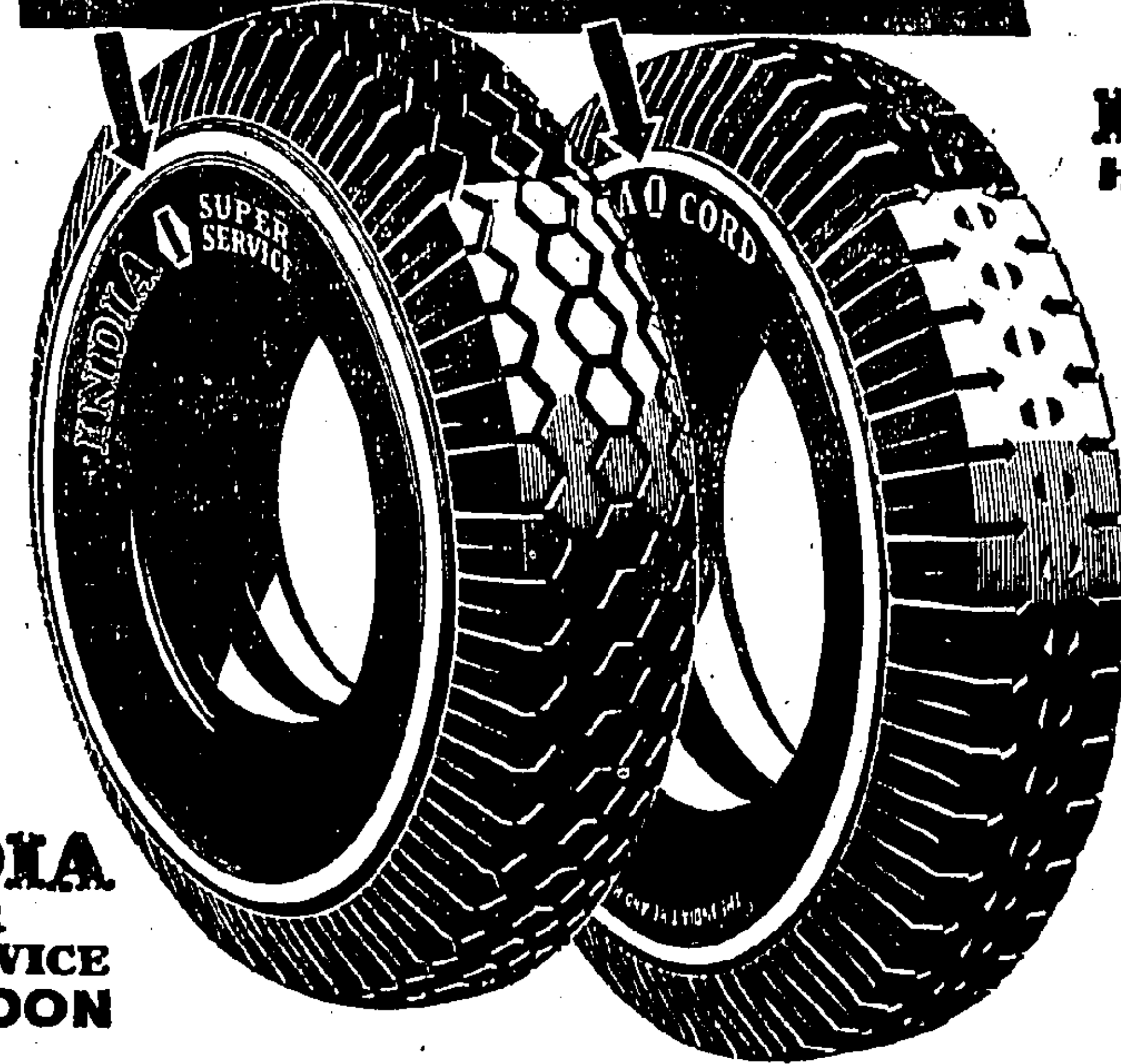


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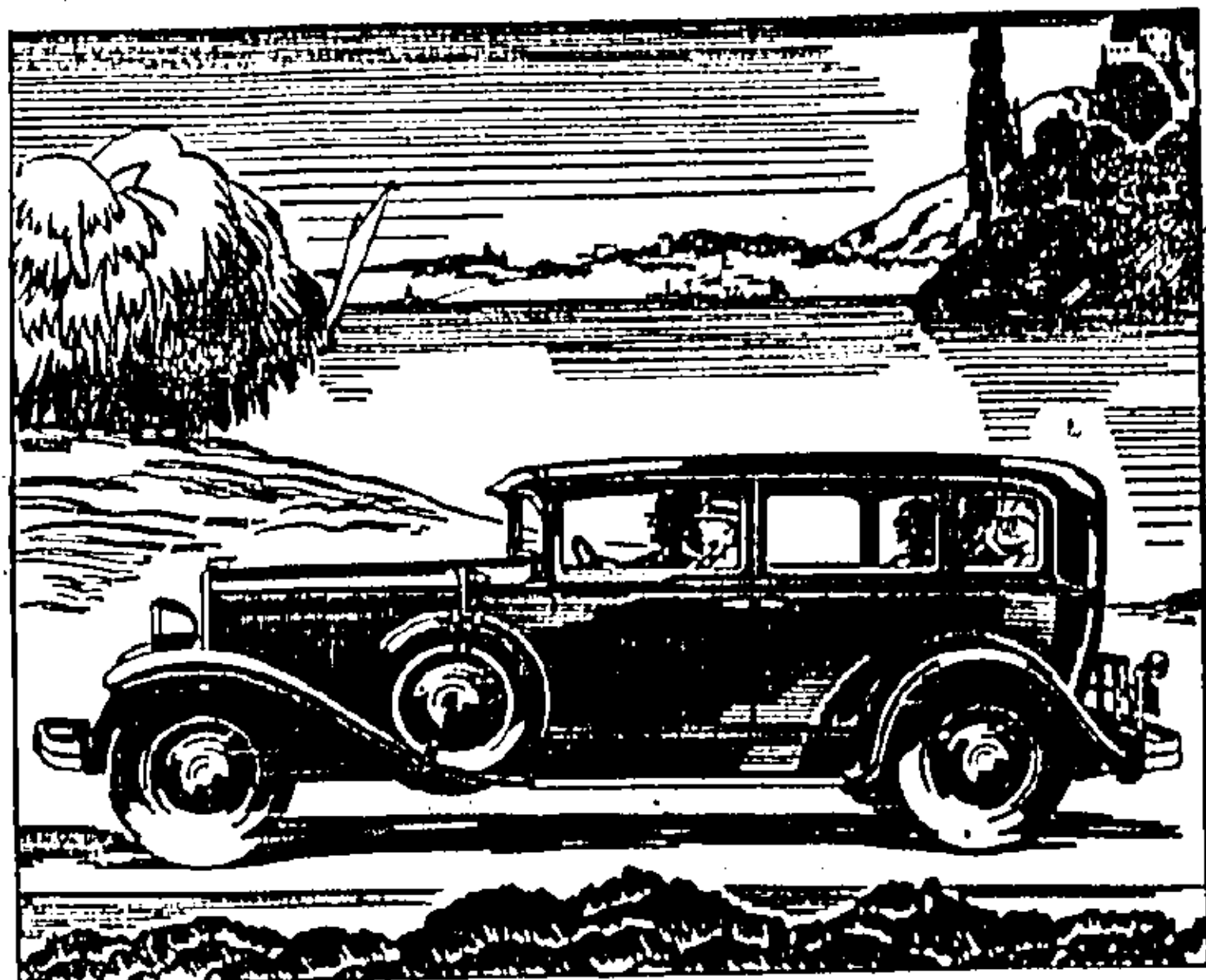
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### MOTOR INDUSTRY.

#### Wins Highest Trade Award.

The highest honour for co-operative trade association work was awarded to the motor industry at the dinner of the American Trade Association Executives in Washington on May 1, when the first prize was given to the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce for the cross-licensing patents agreement under which automobile manufacturers operate.

This is the first offering of a prize by the Trade Executives, membership of which covers 440 associations.

The prize is offered for "original and outstanding service to the public," and was awarded to the automobile manufacturers' organization for its patents agreement, under which 1,700 patents owned by the members are made available to all members without cost.

In making the presentation of the bronze medallion, Secretary of Commerce, Robert P. Lamont declared the seven judges had voted unanimously that "the patents agreement was the most representative achievement in all trade association history."

In presenting the award Secretary Lamont said:

"This award was made for original and outstanding service to the public and represents an advance over most trade association work. The achievement is of paramount importance because of the magnitude of the automobile industry and the strength of the Association representing it. In its unanimous decision this Committee singled out this work as the most representative in all trade association history."

He declared further that it resulted in great public benefit by allowing each manufacturer to use the latest improvements originated by any company. "It works a step in advance of most associational work and is considered of tremendous importance because of the magnitude of the automobile industry and the strength of the Association representing it."

"The medallion portrays 'Progress through Co-operation.' Co-operation—the most worthy endeavour of modern times, and the hope of the future."

Other members of the Committee acting with the Secretary of Commerce were Owen D. Young, Merle Thorpe, Walter Dill Scott, Leonard P. Ayres and Walter C. Strong.

### AUBURN CO.

#### Avoids Radical Changes in Models.

Roy H. Faulkner, the dynamic vice-president of the Auburn Automobile Company made several interesting observations in an interview to-day which threw considerable light on the position that Auburn enjoys. Faulkner explains it this way:

"Five years ago Auburn built its first straight-eight automobile, the basis of its present straight-eight models."

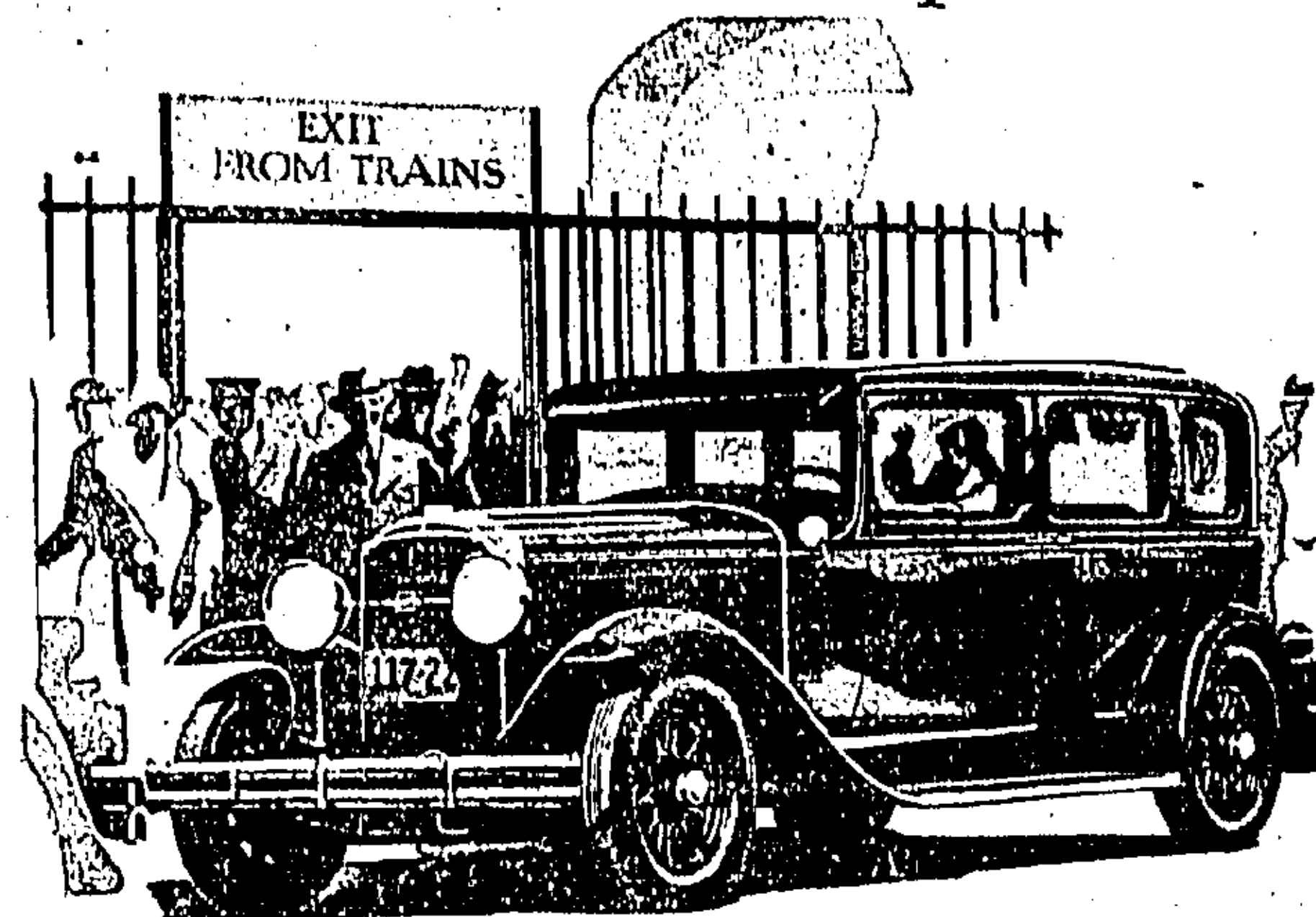
"Since that time there has been a steady improvement, a constant refinement of its lines and mechanical units, but at no time has there been a radical change that obsoleted previous models. To-day the Auburn models for 1930 resemble in appearance greatly the models of 1925, and yet these 1930 models continue to excel in value and leadership."

"One of the best examples of this avoidance of radical change was demonstrated in the Caravan of five cars which Auburn sent from one end of the United States to the other recently. In this caravan were models from the years 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928 and 1929. All these cars were bought back by the factory from owners. A slight mechanical adjustments were made and the entire group refinished in a similar colour. On each of the cars was placed a small sign bearing only the year in which the car had been made."

"After the caravan was out a few days it was found that the public misunderstood what it represented. So near alike were the models that they were taken for a factory 'drive away' of new cars."

"It is the belief of Auburn that the changing of a fender or the shape of a radiator cap has nothing to do with the inherent worth of an automobile. It is a further belief that if a car is designed right originally there is no need of radical changes at any one time. Auburn has consistently followed that practice each year adding refinements and advancements, but giving the previous Auburn owners full protection on their investment. There has been no repudiation of its engineering. The same assurance has been

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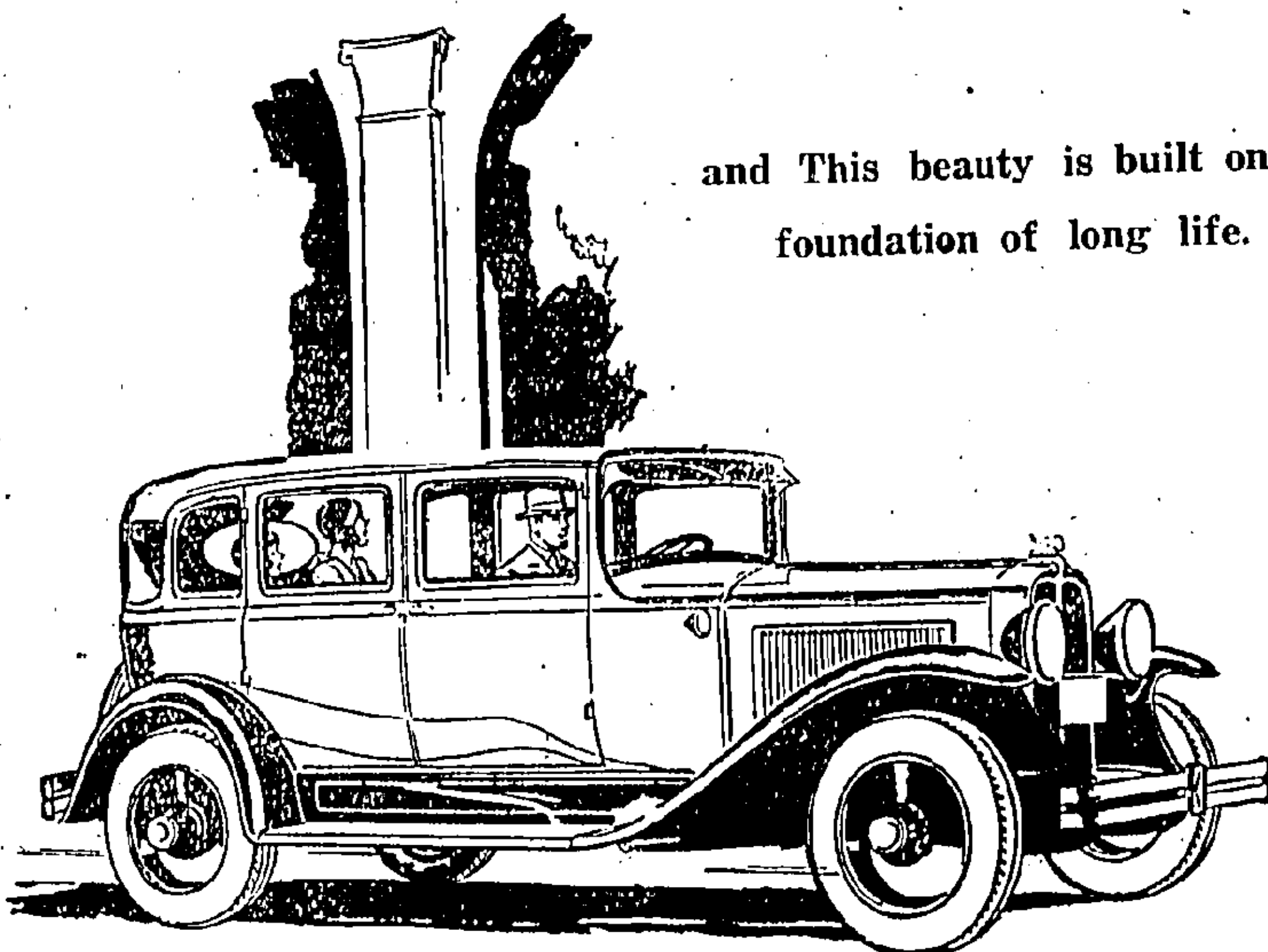
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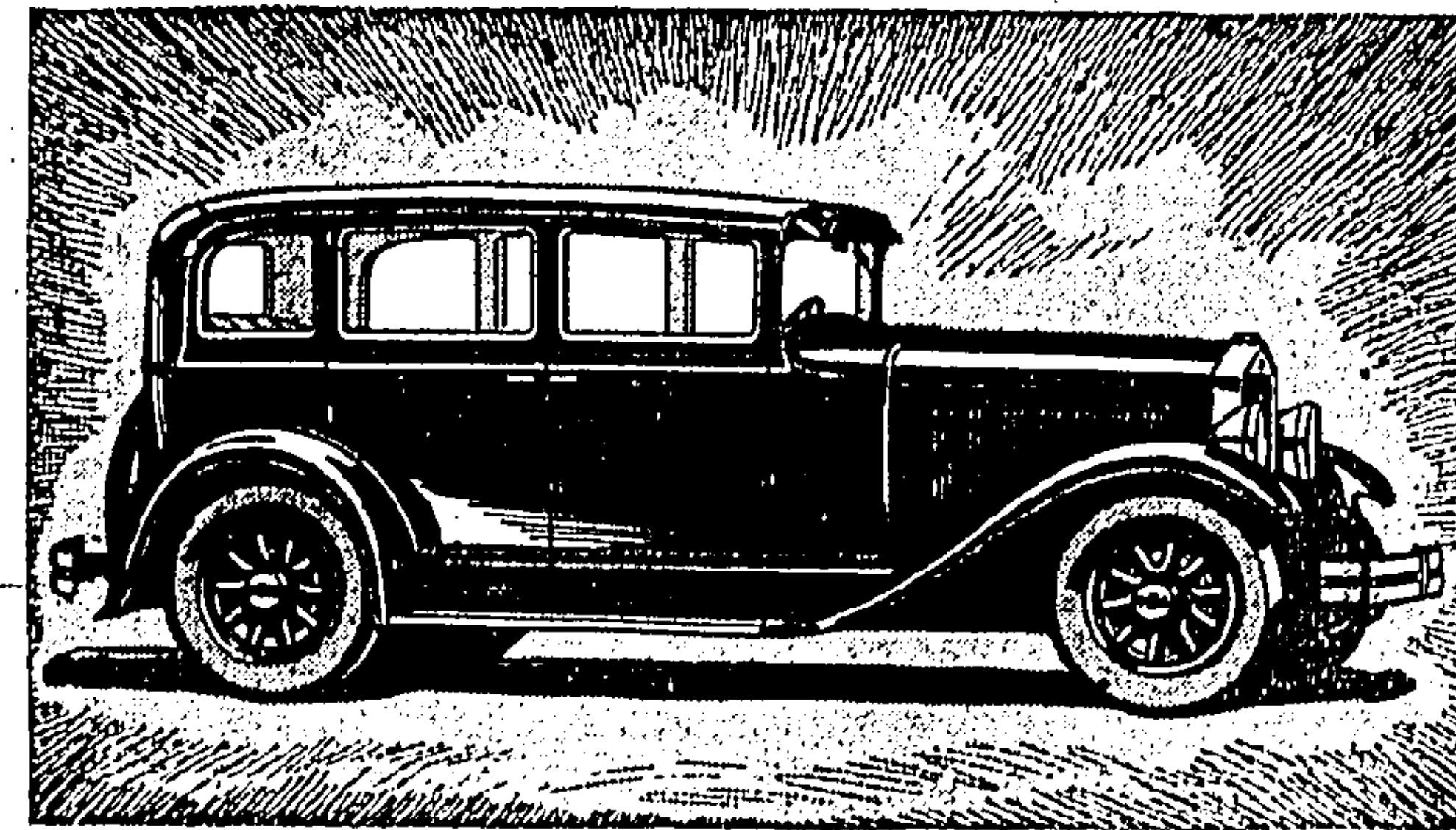
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### LONDON STREET TOLL.

No fewer than 111 pedestrians were killed through crossing the streets of London without due care during the months of January, February, and March, according to the official report issued by the Metropolitan Police.

Of these six were children under five and 32 between five and 15. "Hesitating or faltering" was given

as the cause of 28 deaths. The total number of persons killed during the quarter was 320, compared with 251 in the corresponding period of 1929 and 293 in the first three months of 1928.

The injured numbered 11,441. The accidents to persons and property totalled 26,834, an increase of 3,918 over the first quarter of the previous year. Private motor cars were concerned in 10,272 of these accidents, of which 109 were fatal.



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## CHOLERA.

### Discovery of Carriers in Manila.

Manila, June 30.  
In view of the discovery of the first positive cholera carrier in Manila, and the estimate made by the quarantine service that about 3,500 habitual cholera carriers are in the city, Dr. Jacobo Fajardo, this morning urged the city authorities to vigorously control the system of waste disposal here, particularly in view of the rains, which, with the presence of numerous carriers, will greatly precipitate a cholera outbreak.  
In a memorandum to the mayor, he urged that the pail service rates be radically slashed to enable the labourers to have their own systems of waste disposal; and to provide for at least 2,000 more pails to cope with the present problem, considering that only one-third of the city is being served with the sewage system. He pointed out that although the pail system is not the best, under the present circumstances, considering the urgent need of controlling the disposal of wastes in Manila, the means will greatly help the drive to prevent outbreaks of cholera here. He stated that in cutting down the rates, they should be made only sufficient to meet the expenses of operation and maintenance, and should be regarded as a public service and not as a source of revenue for the city.  
The present cholera situation in the south has shown a decided improvement. In Bantayan, Cebu, where the epidemic is raging at its worst, 13 cases with 7 deaths were found yesterday. However, in Madaya, on the same island, a total of 21 cases with 5 deaths were found on June 27. Only one case and one death were found in Negros, and three cases and three deaths in Leyte. No new reports have been received from Masbate.  
Dr. Leoncio Lopez-Rizal, and Dr. Jose Slan, leading epidemiologists of the health service, will head the big force of health service personnel, composed of doctors, inspectors and nurses who are leaving early to-morrow morning for Bantayan. A bacteriologist will also accompany the force. Drs. Lopez-Rizal and Slan will investigate the origin of the epidemic which apparently broke out first in Bantayan. Considering the fact that this island is isolated and not in daily communication with boats from the neighbouring Oriental countries the outbreak may be proved to be of local and not imported origin. The force is sailing on the s.s. Cebu.  
The present rainy spell is a blessing in disguise as far as cholera is concerned, according to Colonel Delaney, health adviser to Governor General Davis. Colonel Delaney declared this morning that the rains will help the campaign being waged by health authorities against cholera as there is less travelling being done and the chances of spreading the disease are lessened.  
Colonel Delaney, however, points out one danger which may result from the rain and that is the drinking of contaminated water. If the people are careful with their drinking water the cholera scare will soon be under complete control, he stated.  
The Malacanang health adviser declares that the rain will serve to localise the cholera "epidemic" in certain specified areas where health authorities may undertake the work of curing the victims of the disease.  
Colonel Delaney conferred this morning with Director of Health Fajardo regarding the cholera situation. He is expected to submit a report to Governor Davis on the matter either to-day or to-morrow. —Philippines Herald.

## INTESTATE ESTATES.

The balances of the following intestate estates are in the hands of the Official Administrator awaiting claimants.  
If no claim thereto is received by the Official Administrator within a period of five years from date the said balances remaining from the estate of such deceased person will be transferred to the general revenue of this Colony subject to the provisions of the above Ordinance.  
John P. Somerville (died on June 13, 1929), \$773.83.  
H.H. Marcus Hayes (died on January 28, 1930), \$318.03.

## STARS OF LOVE.

### Meeting of Weaver Princess & Herdboy.

Tokyo, July 4.  
To-night the stars of love will meet in the heavens and the people of Japan, and more especially their children, will celebrate the meeting of the Weaver Princess and her Herdboy husband.  
Tanabata Matsuri, the annual star festival, is one of the most picturesque of all of Japan's celebrations. Buddhists believe that on this night, the seventh evening of the seventh month under the old lunar calendar, the stars of Vega and Altair, named Shikuko (Princess Weaver) and Kengyu (Herdboy) respectively, meet for the only time during the year.  
The fable, which came to Japan from China in the eighth century, is that the Princess and the Herdboy were secretly married, but that the mother of the Princess forbade her daughter the right to live in the Herdboy's simple cottage. However, the lovers are allowed one night in which they meet on the edge of the Amanogawa (Milky Way) and exchange vows of eternal love.  
The festival, which came near sinking into oblivion during the late Meiji era, has been greatly revived during the last few years because of its special appeal to the children; always the most important people in the Japanese home. To-night, therefore children throughout the country will gather in the gardens of their homes, where bamboo wands decorated with daintily cut papers have been hung to catch the breeze and where miniature altars have been erected.  
On these altars the children will place offerings of melons, sweet rice dumplings and other food for the stars of love. This is a very strict ritual to be observed in the placing of this food, as there is in the tying of the cut papers on the bamboo wands, an event which gives the children of Japan as much pleasure as does the hanging of ornaments on Christmas trees to the children of the West.  
The festival was essentially of a religious nature when first brought to Japan, but later it took on popular interest and gradually became associated with the fine arts.  
As the Star Princess is supposed to be an expert weaver housewives began to celebrate the festival in the hope of improving their weaving. Then the star lovers became patrons of poetry and painting, but with the modernisation of Japan Tanabata Matsuri eventually attained the state where it is almost entirely a children's festival. —United Press.

## MUNICIPAL RATES.

### Decrease Effective in Shanghai.

Shanghai, July 1.  
The International Settlement municipal rates to-day will revert to the status of 1927, or 14 per cent. marking a decrease of 2 per cent. The 2 per cent. increase was long fought by Chinese ratepayers and was only paid under protest.  
The decision to revert to the old status followed the sale of the old Electricity Department, which was the property of the Council, to the Shanghai Power Company, the holdings being sold for Tls. 81,000.  
For months after the announced increase of 2 per cent. which became effective in July of 1927, determined opposition on the part of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association was met. The organization openly called upon Chinese ratepayers to refuse to pay the increase. There were a number of instances in which Chinese ratepayers actually refused to pay, but equally determined action by the Council resulted in the payment of the increase, although such payment was made under protest.  
The reversion to the old municipal rates is hailed with general satisfaction by the vernacular Press, the attitude being assumed that the Chinese ratepayers have scored a victory over the Council and forced a reduction in rates.  
As has been previously stated, it was intimated by Mr. Stirling Fensenden, when he was Chairman of the Council and prior to the sale of the Electricity Department, that in the event of the department being sold, it was highly probable that the old rates would again be effective.  
At the time the increases in rates became effective, it was not stipulated for how long a period they would remain in effect, the Chinese ratepayers, however, taking it for granted that the rates would be reduced after three years. —Shanghai Times.

## UNPOPULAR GIRL.

### Too Chummy with Foreman.

#### OTHER WOMEN OBJECT.

Pretty faces do not always bring popularity. Witness the unfortunate case of Wang Li-tze, a young Chinese girl who was employed at Pao King Silk Filature, 5, Winchester Road. Miss Wang, it may be truthfully chronicled, is no longer an employee. It is stated that her pretty face brought her misfortune.  
On Friday some 200 female workers in the spinning room, says the Shanghai Times of July 6, where the young girl was employed, went on strike. It was not a wage increase they sought. They insisted that Miss Wang was too pretty and that her looks had brought her into the good graces of the foreman. Hence, they argued, Miss Wang must go. Miss Wang went, but not without protest.

The strike started at 12.45 p.m. Just 45 minutes later Miss Wang had ceased to be a worker there, the strikers resumed in full, the foreman glared and muttered, and all was well.

## OPERATION AT SEA.

### Battle for Life on Cunard Liner.

When the Cunard liner Antonia arrived at Liverpool from Quebec and Montreal recently it was learned that a serious operation was successfully performed by the ship's doctor during the liner's outward trip from Liverpool.  
The incident occurred off Father Point, at the mouth of the River St. Lawrence, when a third-class passenger, Mrs. Florence Swift, of Birmingham, reported sick to Dr. W. G. F. Owen-Morris, the ship's doctor.

His medical examination revealed that Mrs. Swift was suffering from a serious internal disorder necessitating an immediate operation. Although Quebec was but a few hours distance away delay to operate might have proved fatal. The Antonia was accordingly hoisted to, and for three hours the doctor, assisted by the ship's nurse and the dispenser, fought a winning battle with death. On arrival at Quebec Mrs. Swift was removed to hospital.

When the Antonia called at Quebec on her homeward run a letter was received from Mrs. Swift thanking the ship's officials for what they had done, and stating that she was making a rapid and successful recovery.

## FISHING AGREEMENT

### Work of British Trawlers in Russian Waters.

The Soviet Telegraphic Agency in Moscow announces that an agreement on the fisheries in Northern Russian waters has been signed in London.

The agreement is to come into force forthwith, and should facilitate the work of British trawlers. This Convention deals with the question of fishing rights in the White Sea, and it will be published shortly as a White Paper.

In connection with the signing of this Convention, it is pointed out that it is the first for settling questions between Britain and the Soviet for the conclusion of a commercial modus vivendi.  
The question of fisheries has now been settled, and the next step will be to set up machinery for dealing with the question of debts, comments the Journal of Commerce.

the old rates would again be effective.

At the time the increases in rates became effective, it was not stipulated for how long a period they would remain in effect, the Chinese ratepayers, however, taking it for granted that the rates would be reduced after three years. —Shanghai Times.

## SHEFFIELD STEEL.

### Master Cutler to Visit America.

#### TO STUDY THE MARKETS.

Rugby, Yesterday.  
Mr. A. K. Wilson, who this year holds the historic post of Master Cutler of Sheffield, is proceeding next month on a three months' tour of South America. He will visit Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Peru and Uruguay, taking with him examples of the finest Sheffield work in steel, and will investigate the marketing conditions and requirements of the countries visited. —British Wireless Service.

## CAPTAIN SLATED.

### Alleged Shielding of Scoundrel.

Manila, June 30.  
Immediate investigation and revocation of the license of the captain of the steamer Bohol, for alleged shielding of a scoundrel aboard the vessel who attacked the second cook of the boat maliciously while the vessel was entering Davao recently, and thereby deforming the cook's face, is asked by the Union de Cocineros, through its counsel, in a letter forwarded to-day to Malacanang.  
The complaint filed with the governor general asks for the bringing back to Davao of the second officer

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of the boat, who is alleged to have brutally attacked the second cook of the Bohol in the presence of the captain.

According to law, the case should have been brought to the attention of Davao authorities and the assailant detained and prosecuted there. Instead, it is claimed, the captain shielded the officer and no case was brought against the assailant.

The captain's action is branded as high-handed and shows either rank ignorance of the law or neglect to perform his duty, the letter to the chief executive states.

Three remedies are sought from the governor general by the Union for the offended party. They are:

1. To order the captain to bring back the offended party and his witnesses to Davao for the filing of the corresponding complaint.

2. After he has done so, to revoke his license as captain for two years, either for ignorance or for neglect.

3. Pending the decision of the criminal complaint to suspend the license of the aggressor, the second mate of the s.s. Bohol. —Philippines Herald.

## IRISH CENSORSHIP.

### Four English Weeklies Banned.

London, June 6.

A reminder of the rigour of the censorship in Ireland is provided by the news that four English weekly papers have been banned.

The announcement is made in the official gazette that the Free State Minister of Justice, on the advice of the Censorship of Publications Board, has banned The News of the World, Thompson's Weekly News and Empire News, and has forbidden their sale and distribution in the Free State.

The reason given in the unduly large proportion of space said to be devoted to the publication of matter relating to crime.

Six newspapers are now banned in the Irish Free State including The World's Pictorial News and the Competitor's Guide and the New Leader.

The objection to the last-named paper was the views it expressed on birth control.

## "WELL CAUGHT!"

### Magistrate Compliments a Broker.

#### BAG SNATCHING CASE.

"Well, gentlemen, I would like to compliment you in the way you behaved in catching this man—a good piece of work," said Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistrate's court yesterday morning, in congratulating Mr. Ip Wah-kwai, a broker, and Mr. Chung Siu-yuen, a Police Reservist, who both were responsible in effecting the arrest of a Chinese named Ho Pit, after he had snatched a handbag from Miss Rosa Wong, on Friday night.  
The culprit was charged with larceny and pleaded guilty.

Seized by the Neck.  
According to Sergeant C. Browne, it appears that Miss Rosa Wong was walking with her cousin Miss Eva Kee, in Nathan Road. When near Cheung Sha Street, the defendant came up from behind and caught hold of Miss Wong's neck. He then stole the bag from under her left arm.

The thief then bolted along Nathan Road and down Soy Street. Miss Wong and her companion both shouted "snatching" and the two witnesses, who were walking towards them, gave chase. Defendant ran along a scavenging lane at the rear of the Kowloon Motor Bus Company's premises, and was finally caught by the Police Reservist in another lane off Shantung Street.  
His Worship passed the maximum penalty—that of twelve months' hard labour and 24 strokes of the birch—on defendant.

## WHITE SLAVE TRADE

### Does Not Exist in Manila.

Manila, July 4.  
Containing that morality is at a high standard here, General Nathorst said that there is no traffic in women and children in this country to warrant an investigation by the League of Nations. General Nathorst said that he sees no necessity for the League of Nations to send a committee of investigators, as reported, because there is none to investigate.

"It would be better if the League of Nations confined its activities in curbing women traffic in Europe where such traffic really exists," General Nathorst declared.

General Nathorst spoke highly of the morality of the Filipino people and denied that there is such a thing as women traffic. He explained that the disappearance of girls reported by the Manila police have turned out mostly to be elopements.

He declared that according to findings of the constabulary, most of the disappearing girls had left their homes to elope with their sweethearts. And if some of those girls had really gone wrong and joined some of the houses of ill-repute, those girls were usually servants who voluntarily joined such places for economic reasons.

General Nathorst said that such cases are rare and very negligible in this country when compared with those in other countries, especially in the more advanced and civilized countries of Europe.

Reports reaching the city state that a travelling committee of three investigators of the League of Nations will soon come to Manila for the purpose of extending here the inquiry into the traffic in women and children. —Philippines Herald.

## BAN ON BRAHMINS.

### Move in the South Likely to Affect All India.

An important development in Southern India, including a marked change of policy on the part of the Justice (Liberal) Party, is involved by the decision of the Executive Committee to waive the ban on the admission of Brahmins to the Party.

This decision is regarded as having a direct, though not immediate, bearing on the political situation in India in view of the nature of the Simon Commission's report, where it comments on caste difficulties in India. The creed of the Party has hitherto aimed at the promotion of the interests, political and otherwise, of non-Brahmins.

## ATTORNEY CITED.

### Wife Files New Complaint.

Manila, July 3.

The litigation between Attorney Eugene Arthur Perkins, prominent city Rotarian and lawyer, and Mrs. Perkins took a new turn this noon when Judge Francisco Santamaria, now presiding over the first branch of the city court of first instance, issued an order requiring Mr. Perkins to appear before the judge this afternoon at three o'clock to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt.

The order was issued by the judge upon an ex-parte petition filed this morning by Attorney Vicente Sotto, as counsel for Mrs. Perkins. Mrs. Perkins alleges that her husband has taken steps to prevent her from communicating with her lawyer. This is considered by Mrs. Perkins a contempt of court.

Among the facts alleged are that Mr. Perkins has placed four Indian guards to prevent Mrs. Perkins from communicating with her lawyer and from turning over to the latter the documents needed in the proper prosecution of her case against her husband.

Even the telephone connection has been tampered with in an effort to prevent communication with her lawyer, it is also alleged.

Deputy Sheriff Joaquin Garcia tried to connect with Mr. Perkins shortly after 12 o'clock this noon but failed in his attempt. However, the sheriff left a word in the office of Mr. Perkins in connection with the summons. Mr. Perkins is expected in his office about two o'clock this afternoon. He will be there not later than three o'clock, it was stated. So there is no danger that he would not be served the summons on time.

It is understood that Mr. Perkins will appear with Attorney De Witt, one of his partners, acting as his counsel. Mr. Perkins will have to appear personally this afternoon in view of the nature of the order of the judge. He did not show up in court when Mrs. Perkins filed an injunction order.

Mrs. Perkins will be at the court with her lawyer. When seen this noon, Mrs. Perkins absolutely refused to say anything in connection with the case.

"I am sick of the publicity being given to the case and I do not care to say anything," was her only reply when Mrs. Perkins was approached for a statement.

According to the result of the lottery held in order to determine to what judge the case would be assigned, the case will have to be aired before Judge Santamaria. The hearing of the petition for injunction instituted by Mrs. Perkins against her husband to prevent him from selling the "Vel Nido," their beautiful marital home on Dewey Boulevard, will be held on Monday morning before Judge Santamaria.

Attorney De Witt will have until Monday to file his reply to the complaint. He might file it on the same day of the hearing of the petition. —Philippines Herald.

## DANGER TO PUBLIC.

### Five "War Councils" Declared Illegal.

Madras, June 22.  
By a "Gazette Extraordinary" the Madras Government have declared the Andhra Provincial Congress Committee an unlawful association within the meaning of Part II. of the Criminal Law (Amendment) Act.

Similarly, the Government have declared the Guntur West, Kistna East, Kistna West, Godavari, and the Bezawada "War Councils" unlawful associations, as in the opinion of the Government they are interfering with the maintenance of law and order, and constitute a danger to the public peace.

#### Appel To M.P.s.

London, June 21.  
Sir Herbert Samuel, M.P., speaking at Birmingham, alluding to the Liberal Party's attitude towards the Labour Government, emphasised that "the gravity of the issues in India forbids anything in the nature of factious opposition" and urged M.P.s to withhold their criticisms of the Simon Report until after the Round-Table Conference.

## SEWING-MACHINE.

### The Tragedy of Its Inventor.

The first of the sewing-machines—made exactly one hundred years ago—is now being exhibited in Paris. Its history is interesting. The story of its inventor is pathetic, if not tragic.

His name was Bartholomey Thimmonier. His father, a dyer by trade, apprenticed him to a tailor, in the neighbourhood of Lyon. He observed the women there at their crochet work; and it occurred to him that perhaps a machine could be made to do what they were doing, and to do it six times as fast. He neglected his tailoring—he had been set up in a small tailor's shop at Saint-Etienne—in order to follow up his idea, in spite of the sneers of his family, who told him that he was mad to "try to sew breeches otherwise than in the way in which they had been sewn since the invention of needles, thread, and thimbles."

By 1828 he had succeeded in making a practicable machine. A friend at the Saint-Etienne School of Mines made the necessary drawings and provided the necessary money to enable him to take out a patent. He took out his patent, went to Paris, and there formed a company.

#### Unhappy Days.

His establishment was in the Rue de Sevres. He was prepared to make military uniforms, and eighty sewing machines ready to be used for that purpose. Fortune seemed to be smiling on him. And then—catastrophe.

He had launched his enterprise at an inconvenient time. There had just been a revolution, and there was a great deal of unemployment. The workmen feared that this rationalisation would add to the number of the unemployed. They rioted. Two hundred of them stormed the workshop, smashed up all the eighty sewing-machines in it, and so terrified Thimmonier by their threats that he ran away. The fact that seventy-five of them were arrested and sent to prison did not help him; and the result of the riot was to postpone the use of sewing-machines for a quarter of a century, and to give the first material benefit of the invention to England and America.

#### Back Home Again!

With one sewing-machine—the original model—on his back, and without a penny in his pocket, Thimmonier went back to his trade, his home, and his wife. He paid his expenses, as he went, by exhibiting his model in the inns, and then sending round the hat. Subsequently in the intervals of tailoring, he made a few more machines and sold them at 22 each to such of his neighbours as he could persuade to buy them.

Fifteen years or so later he took one of his machines to London, where it attracted some attention, and induced the Morning Post to predict that it would supersede hand-sewing, but he did not live to see the prediction fulfilled, and died, insolvent, in 1857, leaving his family destitute.

In 1872 an appeal was made to the French Government on behalf of his widow; and the Minister of the Interior, after careful investigation of the case, bestowed upon her the munificent gratuity of £12.

#### IS YOUR NAME HERE?

Mails have been received at the American Consulate-General for the following persons:—

Geo. A. Allan, Miss F. Bostwick, R. Caldwell, J. A. Conley, R. C. Cooper, Mrs. L. Cox, C. D. Curry, Mrs. L. Curtis, Mrs. E. A. Custer, V. H. Donnelly, Fish, Mrs. M. C. Foster, F. Haskell, S. Hamilton, W. R. Kendall, S. Madrinan, G. F. Mentz, S. Miller, I. Moller, W. C. Ockland, Ch. S. Paget, R. C. Richardson, Miss A. Riggin, Capt. G. B. Rogers, M's M. Root, Sadig, L. I. Simpson, Mrs. K. Smith, H. G. Soria, H. E. Stevens, A. B. Taylor, R. L. Teigler, G. O. Woodward.

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